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## **Race Dates 2023**

### **JUNE 2023**

| Adelaide River | 03 SAT |
|----------------|--------|
| Alice Springs  | 04 SUN |
| Darwin         | 10 SAT |
| Darwin         | 17 SAT |
| Alice Springs  | 18 SUN |
| Darwin         | 24 SAT |

### **JULY 2023**

| Darwin        | 01 SAT |
|---------------|--------|
| Alice Springs | 02 SUN |
| Darwin        | 08 SAT |
| Darwin        | 15 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 16 SUN |
| Darwin        | 19 WED |
| Darwin        | 22 SAT |
| Darwin        | 29 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 30 SUN |

### AUGUST 2023

| Darwin        | 02 WED |
|---------------|--------|
| Darwin        | 05 SAT |
| Darwin        | 07 MON |
| Alice Springs | 12 SAT |
| Katherine     | 19 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 25 FRI |
|               |        |

### SEPTEMBER 2023 OCTOBER 2023 NOVEMBER 2023

| Darwin        | 02 SAT |
|---------------|--------|
| Darwin        | 09 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 10 SUN |
| Darwin        | 23 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 24 SUN |
|               |        |

### DECEMBER 2023

| Darwin        | 01 FRI |
|---------------|--------|
| Alice Springs | 02 SAT |
| Darwin        | 08 FRI |
| Darwin        | 16 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 17 SUN |
| Darwin        | 30 SAT |

| Alice Springs | 01 SUN |
|---------------|--------|
| Darwin        | 07 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 14 SAT |
| Darwin        | 21 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 22 SUN |
| Darwin        | 28 SAT |

| Darwin        | 13 SAT |
|---------------|--------|
| Alice Springs | 14 SUN |
| Darwin        | 26 FRI |
| Alice Springs | 27 SAT |

| 04 SAT  |
|---------|
| 07 TUES |
| 11 SAT  |
| 18 SAT  |
| 25 SAT  |
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### JANUARY 2024 FEBRUARY 2024

| Darwin        | 03 SAT |
|---------------|--------|
| Darwin        | 09 FRI |
| Alice Springs | 10 SAT |
| Alice Springs | 17 SAT |
| Darwin        | 23 FRI |
| Alice Springs | 24 SAT |



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- Horse must be trained by an NT-based trainer
- 🤣 Minimum 50% owned in the NT



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TRNT Off The Track is pleased to announce that industry participants can now apply for a \$500 Transport Subsidy.

The Transport Subsidy has been established to support racehorse trainers and managing owners with the cost of rehoming their racehorse interstate.

We understand that not all horses are able to be re-homed here in the Territory, and the need for them to travel to a cooler climate is necessary for their welfare.

To apply for the Transport Subsidy please refer to the Terms and Conditions below.

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- The Transport Subsidy is to be used for the purpose of rehoming a retired racehorse interstate.
- The racehorse must be located in the Northern Territory at the time the Transport Subsidy is applied for.
- To be eligible for the Transport Subsidy the trainer MUST contact TRNT Off The Track PRIOR to the horse being transported (this can be achieved by either by completing the Transport Subsidy Application form or contacting 08 8944 7500).

- The racehorse must be in the care of a TRNT licensed trainer at the time the Transport Subsidy is applied for.
- Should TRNT Off The Track not be contacted prior to transport the subsidy will NOT be paid.
- The racehorse must be transported to a recognised retrainer, re-homer or approved home only. The horse must not be transported for the purpose of breeding or racing.
- i.) The 'Approved home' is approved at the discretion of TRNT Off The Track. A background check will be conducted prior to the horses transportation.
   Should the horse be transported prior to the background check and confirmation of approval has not been provided, the transport subsidy will not be paid.
- The horse must be transported with a registered float company ONLY (Darwin Horse Floats or Dippy's Horse Transport).
- An invoice will be raised by the float company to the amount of \$500 (not including GST), the subsidy amount will be directly invoiced to TRNT Off The Track. The remaining amount will be paid by the current registered racehorse owners or trainer.
- The Racehorse must be retired within the Racing Australia website at the time of transport.
- Only industry participants may apply for the Transport Subsidy from TRNT Off The Track (Trainers or managing owners).

### **TRAINERS**

### DOES YOUR WORKPLACE HAVE THE NECESSARY INJURY INSURANCE PROTECTION?

Following news that several local trainers sustained serious injury recently whilst carrying on their training activities, it is perhaps timely to remind trainers of their legal obligations, and the various other insurance options that are available, to protect their workers, family members who work in their business and of course, the Trainers themselves.

#### Worker's Compensation - your Legal Responsibility

It is a prescribed responsibility i.e.: embodied in legislation, in the Northern Territory that every business that employs or hires Workers on a full-time, part-time or casual basis, under an oral or written contract of service or apprenticeship, must effect worker's compensation insurance with a local, licensed insurer.

#### **Definition of a Worker**

For the purposes of this insurance, a Worker is:

- a natural person who performs work or a service of any kind for another person under a contract, receives remuneration and is, in relation to the contract, an employee for the purpose of assessment for PAYG withholding under the 'Taxation Administration Act 1953 (Cth)', Schedule 1, Parts 2-5, even if the employer is not withholding tax when they should be. Workers who typically fall into this category for a Trainer include stable hands, foremen & track riders.
- this definition does not this extend to individuals who provide a service using their own tools of trade, and rectify any defects at their own expense. Veterinarians and farriers are common examples of independent contractors who fall into this category

An on-line tool is available on the ATO website to assist Trainers to determine if their Worker/s fit within the definition. If the business engages and pays Workers, it is recommended you visit www.ato.gov.au/Calculators-and-tools/Employee-orcontractor/

#### **Certain Workers Covered Under Specific Circumstances**

- Trainers can qualify for inclusion under a worker's compensation policy in limited circumstances only. If the **Trainer is a director of a registered training business**, he or she can be covered if the company has taken out a worker's compensation policy, and both personal details and the remuneration of the Trainer have been disclosed to the insurer.
- If the training business is owned by an individual, or is a
  partnership (therefore, is not a registered company), family
  members who live with the owner/s of the training business
  and who are paid to assist with training activities, can also be
  covered if both their personal details & remuneration have
  been disclosed to the insurer.

#### Racing & Betting Act 1983 (as amended)

This Act requires TRNT to effect worker's compensation insurance for **licensed jockeys**, **track work riders**, **stable hands and foremen**, whilst any of these individuals are:

- actively engaged in thoroughbred racing and training activities; and
- are doing so on any licensed premises and/or within the associated environs e.g.: environs includes float and car parks attaching to the premises, roadways connecting to stables, the dry riverbed of the Todd River which sits adjacent the Pioneer Park training centre, etc.

In effect, the Act compels TRNT to treat these individuals as their very own "deemed" workers whilst they are working on a licensed premises. Of note, is the Act **does not** extend this "deeming" provision to include licensed Trainers – hence, TRNT cannot expand their policy to cover Trainers, as the legislation does not allow them to do so at this time.

#### Given the above, Trainers should consider the following:

Firstly, all Trainers have a legal obligation to effect worker's compensation insurance to cover Workers they engage and pay a wage, for activities related to their training business. There will be instances where the TRNT insurance will be the 'host policy' for a Trainer's injured worker. Equally, there will be instances where a workplace injury will not occur at a licensed premises or within the associated environs, and therefore, the TRNT insurance will not apply. For example, injury whilst unloading a horse at an agistment property, during a rehoming exercise, or whilst at a veterinary clinic. Similarly, whilst riding the horse for training purposes in bushland or trails, or during beach work anywhere in Darwin. To cover this worker related risk, all Trainers **MUST** effect their own worker's compensation insurance. If Trainers do not already have a policy, please contact NT Worksafe on 1800 250 713 for assistance. Secondly, if Trainers cannot access personal protection under a worker's compensation policy (refer to Certain Workers Covered Under Specific Circumstances), they should examine alternative insurance options. As shown recently, accidents do occur, and the costs of medical care and any associated downtime can be a considerable burden for a Trainer to absorb. Accordingly, Trainers are encouraged to explore Personal Accident & Illness, Trauma and Life insurance, all insurances commonly held by many self-employed individuals across the racing industry, and indeed, in many other vocations outside of racing.

For more information on this subject, please contact the Australian Trainer's Association (03 9372 1688), or visit www.austrainers.com.au to read about the various insurance options under the members information area.







## **Trainer & Owner Reforms (TOR)**

The introduction of the Trainer & Owner Reforms (TOR) has been one of the most significant inclusions to the Australian Rules of Racing in the last decade.

These reforms standardised many aspects of the commercial relationship between Trainer and Owner (as well as between multiple owners of a horse), and provided a pathway to resolve disputes including, most importantly for Trainers, those relating to the non-payment of training fees. An overview of some of the key elements of the TOR follows:

### The Rules of Racing

• The TOR has national application. It was written into the Rules of Racing in 2017, and embraced by each state and territory racing jurisdiction across Australia.

There are 9 specific TOR Rules as follows;

TOR Rule 1 Commencement and operation of the TOR

TOR Rule 2 Powers of PRAs in relation to the TOR

TOR Rule 3 Requirement for trainers to issue a Fees Notice TOR Rule 4 Circumstances in which the presumption of a training debt arises

TOR Rule 5 Requirements in relation to, and the effect of, a Dispute Notice

TOR Rule 6 Consequences if the presumption of a training debt arises

TOR Rule 7 Further trainer rights (when the presumption of a training debt has not arisen)

TOR Rule 8 Training Disputes Tribunal

TOR Rule 9 Facilitating payment after a TDT decision

### **Key Documents**

#### • Standard Training Agreement (STA)

The STA governs the relationship between Trainer and Owner, with both bound by same unless they have a separate written arrangement. Under the rules the STA is applicable to all trainers and owners, with limited exceptions only\*. \* only Owner/Trainers who train a horse themselves, or an Owner who employs a Trainer exclusively for them under a written agreement, are exempt.

#### • Fees Notice

A Trainer MUST produce and provide a Fees Notice to the Managing Owner (on behalf of all Owners), within 7 days of appointment. This should set out charges for recurrent services e.g.: daily training fee, race plates, standard veterinary consultation, float charges; etc. It is a guide for Owners, designed to inform them of the range of costs they will incur for many of the common activities and services their thoroughbred will receive under the Trainer's care.

#### Co-Owners Agreement

A Co-Owners Agreement, or COA, was introduced as part of the reforms. This agreement sets out obligations and responsibilities of Owners to each other. It also sets out the overarching obligations of the Managing Owner, firstly between his or her co-owner group, and secondly, with the Trainer, with regard to communications and representing the interests of the Ownership group.

#### **Disputes Resolution Process**

- A standardised process was introduced for dealing with Trainer and Owner disputes for non payment of training and inter-related fees:
- A Trainer can lodge an Enforcement Action Application to assist with debt collection
- An Owner can lodge a Dispute Notice if they dispute part or all of the Trainer's invoice

Disputes documentation must be lodged with Racing Australia, who in turn, will communicate with the parties to the dispute and make them aware that the matter is now on the record. Racing Australia will also refer the matter to the relevant racing authority (for example, in the Northern Territory, this is TRNT), who will take over conduct of the matter.

The process offers mediation for the simple matters, or for those matters that cannot be settled by mediation ie; formal disputes, these will be referred to a Training Disputes Tribunal for determination.

The TOR has been a wonderful addition to the Rules of Racing. It has introduced much needed process and standardisation into an area that had historically been littered with uncertainty, a lack of transparency and indeed for many, resulted in financial distress.

The Australian Trainers' Association is constantly working to improve the TOR for the benefit of its Trainers. As has been the case for many of our rules of racing over the years, they evolve over time, generally from our collective experiences with "live disputes". To that end, we are currently working with Racing Australia, and they in turn with the national PRA network, to tighten several elements of the TOR debt recovery process, to better position trainers in the pursuit of their financial entitlements.

For more information on this subject, please visit the Racing Australia website www.racingaustralia.horse, and click on the 'Trainer and Owners Reforms' handle in the RA banner, located at the top of their Home page. https://tor.racingaustralia.horse/

Members of the ATA can also visit our web-site www.austrainers.com.au, and access the dedicated 'Trainer & Owner Reforms' section by clicking on the handle that sits within the Home page banner, to read relevant reference information, plus download our ATA Advanced Training agreement and a template Fees Notice.



### **CONDITIONS GOVERNING NT RACE MEETINGS**

### SCRATCHING (AMENDED)

NT109. Notwithstanding the provision of AR181 no horse shall be withdrawn from any race after the time prescribed for acceptances without the permission of the Stewards. No withdrawal shall be at the direction of the Stewards.

(1) Withdrawals after the time for acceptances will incur liability for the riding fee as set out in NT75. Also they may be liable for the following fees, unless a veterinary certificate satisfactory to the Stewards is produced;

(a) TAB meeting \$100 Or the acceptance fee, whichever is the greater

(2) Provided that at all meetings covered by TAB the following shall apply;

(a)In a race with only 5 acceptors no withdrawal will be permitted without the express approval of the Stewards and a \$500 scratching fee may be imposed if the application to withdraw is not supported by a veterinary certificate;

(b) Trainers must notify the Stewards as soon as practicable after any injury/lameness or disability is detected which may require an acceptor to be scratched and a failure to do so may result in a \$500 scratching fee being imposed;

(c) If a trainer accepts for a horse which is subsequently scratched and in the opinion of the Stewards the trainer knew or should have known at acceptance time that the horse was unlikely to start, a \$500 scratching fee may be imposed.

### **ACCEPTANCES**

NTLR32 All declaration of acceptances shall be made by the nominator, trainer or by the authorised agent of either of them in such form or by such means and shall be done by such time as prescribed by the TRNT.

NTLR33 If there are fewer than five (5) acceptors for arace, the prescribed closing time for the declaration of acceptances may be extended by thirty (30) minutes.

NTLR36 (a) No horse shall remain in the field at the time set down for acceptances for more than one race on any day except in the case of an emergency acceptor, which may remain in the field for another race provided that no other horse is balloted out due to it remaining in more than one race.

(b) The provisions of part (a) of this rule shall not apply to acceptors that are declared an emergency in the following races:

Darwin (Carnival): Darwin Guineas, Chief Minister's Cup, Toyota Cup, NT Derby, Metric Mile, Darwin Corporate Park Cup, Palmerston Sprint, Darwin Cup.

Darwin (non-Carnival): St Patrick's Day Cup.

Alice Springs (Carnival): Alice Springs Guineas, Chief Minister's Cup, Pioneer Sprint, Alice Springs Cup.

### NOMINATIONS

NTLR48. The Principal Racing Authority reserves the right to;

(a)Transfer the nomination of any horse entered for a race which is permitted after 8.00 am on the day of a race for any meeting except or may be deleted from a program. Such transfer must occur prior to the declaration of weights.

> (b) Transfer the nomination of any horse that is declared ineligible by the handicapper at the time for nominations. Such transfer must occur prior to the declaration of weights.

> (c) Transfer the nomination of any horse that becomes ineligible after entry closing and prior to declaration of acceptances for that race.

> Provided that where such horse has not been scratched from the race concerned at the time for acceptance, the acceptance of the horse transferred shall be taken as the nominator's approval of such transfer.

NTLR49: Where there are eight (8) or fewer nominations at the time set down for close of entries, the Club may extend the time for entries until 9.30 am the following day or such other time as determined by the Club.

(Provided that any horse which is an extended nomination will be placed in the order of ballot so as to be balloted prior to any horse which is not).

### LATE NOMINATIONS

Late nominations will be accepted for race meetings conducted within the Northern Territory under the following conditions:

(i) such nominations will only be accepted prior to 9.30am on the day following the advertised closing of nominations or such other time as determined by the club.

(ii) late nominations will incur a fee equal to the nomination fee plus two per cent (2%) of the advertised prize money of the race plus GST.

#### Unless otherwise noted

NOMINATIONS will close at 9.30am on the Monday prior to the race meeting.

WEIGHTS will be declared on the following day (Tuesday) at 1.00pm. ACCEPTANCES will be at 9.30am on the Wednesday prior to the race meeting.

RIDER DECLARATION will be at 12 noon on the Wednesday prior to the race meeting.



### **ELECTIVE TESTING OF NON RACEDAY SAMPLES**

Trainers are advised that they are now able to have non-raceday samples screened by the Australian Raceday Forensic Laboratory on request for certain long-acting therapeutic substances.

This service has been introduced to assist trainers to determine the suitability for racing of horses under their care that have been treated with these long acting medications.

The special non-raceday drug screens are confined to corticosteroids, anabolic steroids or procaine (arising from the administration of procaine penicillin). To use this service, trainers must first gain approval from the Stewards, who will then supply the appropriate collection kits, seals and documentation.

Samples must be collected in accordance with the Australian Racing Forensic Laboratory collection procedures and must be accompanied by a Testing of Special Non-Raceday Samples application.

Samples will not be tested unless they are packaged and sealed properly and accompaed by the appropriate documentation.

Trainers are warned that the results of any non-raceday testing do not absolve them of their responsibilities in the event of a positive result arising from samples taken at any registered race meeting. Further details in relation to lodging of samples can be obtained from Stewards at Darwin Turf Club or Alice Springs Turf Club.

### **RACEDAY SWABBING PROCEDURES**

Trainers are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that they and/or any person who represents them during the swabbing of their horses, are fully aware of the raceday swabbing procedure and that they observe all stages of that procedure.

The Club's veterinary surgeon and/or swabbing attendant will ensure that persons who are unfamiliar with the procedure have it explained to them and also inform them that as the trainer's representative, they should observe all stages of the swabbing procedure.

Trainers are reminded that the onus is on the trainer or his/her representative to observe the procedure.



### **Screening Limits for Therapeutic Substances**

For the purpose of AR.257, it is hereby notified that screening limits applicable to the following therapeutic substances, as approved by the Australian Racing Board, are set out as follows: acepromazine – 0.02 nanograms per millilitre (ng/mL) in plasma acepromazine - 10ng/mL of the 2-(1-hydroxyethyl) promazine sulphoxide metabolite in urine betamethasone - 0.20ng/mL in urine butorphanol - 0.01ng/mL in plasma butorphanol - 1ng/mL in urine carprofen - 100ng/mL in plasma carprofen - 100ng/mL in urine **dantrolene** – 1ng/mL of the 5-hydroxydantrolene metabolite in unhydrolysed urine detomidine – 0.02ng/mL of the 3'-hydroxydetomidine metabolite in plasma detomidine -2ng/mL of the 3'-hydroxydetomidine metabolite in urine dexamethasone - 0.2ng/mL in urine diclofenac- 50ng/mL in urine dipyrone - 1000ng/mL of the 4 methylaminoantipyrine metabolite in urine eltenac - 50ng/mL in urine flunixin - 1ng/mL in plasma flunixin – 100ng/mL in urine frusemide - 0.1ng/mL in plasma frusemide - 50ng/mL in urine hyoscinebutylbromide (or n-butylscopolammonium) - 0.05ng/mL in plasma hyoscine butylbromide (or n-butylscopolammonium) - 25ng/mL in urine ipratropium - 0.25ng/mL in urine ketoprofen - 100ng/mL in urine lignocaine - 0.05ng/mL in plasma lignocaine – 10ng/mL of the 3'-hydroxylignocaine metabolite in urine meclofenamic acid - 5ng/mL in plasma meclofenamic acid - 250ng/mL in urine medetomidine - 0.02ng/mL of 3' hydroxymedetomidine in plasma medetomidine - 5ng/mL of 3'-hydroxymedetomidine in urine meloxicam- 1ng/mL in plasma meloxicam - 10ng/mL in urine mepivacaine – 0.05ng/mL in plasma mepivacaine -10ng/mL of the 3'-hydroxymepivacaine metabolite in urine methocarbamol - 100ng/mL in urine (when restricted to a single oral or IV treatment of no more than 5 grams of methocarbamol) 2 naproxen - 250ng/mL in urine phenylbutazone - 100ng/mL in plasma phenylbutazone - 100ng/mL in urine romifidine - 1ng/mL in urine salbutamol - 0.5ng/mL in urine triamcinolone acetonide - 0.5ng/mL in urine vedaprofen- 50ng/mL in urine"



### **AUSTRALIAN RULES OF RACING - AMENDMENTS**

Date of effect for following rule amendments 6 May 2023

### PART 4 – HORSE REGISTRATION, OWNERSHIP, LEASING & TRACEABILITY

### **Division 2 - Horse ownership**

## AR 36A Fitness and propriety restrictions on persons who can own or race a horse

(1) Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards (as applicable) may restrict any person from holding an ownership or lease interest in a horse if, in their opinion, the person is not a fit and proper person to own or lease a horse.

(2) Without limiting subrule (1), except where otherwise permitted by Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards (as applicable), a person is not permitted to hold an ownership or lease interest in a horse if the person:

- (a) has been convicted of an indictable criminal offence or a criminal offence involving violence against a person or dishonest activity in the previous 10 years;
- (b) has been convicted of an offence under any animal welfare or prevention of cruelty to animals legislation in the previous 10 years; or
- (c) is an undischarged bankrupt or is taking advantage of the laws in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy.

(3) Subject to subrule (4), a person must not enter or cause to be entered a horse in a race, official trial or jump-out where a person who is not permitted to hold an ownership or 36 lease interest in the horse pursuant to subrule (1) or (2) purports to hold such an interest in the horse.

(4) Notwithstanding Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards assessing a person as fit and proper or not, any other PRA/s may conduct its own assessment as to that person's fitness and propriety before permitting him or her to own, lease or race a horse in that PRA's jurisdiction.

(5) For the sake of clarity and without limiting any other provisions of the Rules, an ownership or lease interest includes an interest held by a person (from 0% to 100% inclusive) as a:

- (a) director or shareholder of a company;
- (b) partner of a partnership or firm;
- (c) trustee of a trust;
- (d) manager or member of a syndicate,

and any other interest or position where the person is able to exercise any control or influence in respect of a horse, or either directly or indirectly has the power to vote or participate in decisions in respect of the horse.

### AR 36B Ownership via certain trusts prohibited

Without limiting any other provisions of the Rules and except where permitted by a PRA, an ownership or lease interest in a horse is not permitted to be held in a trust where the persons having an interest in the horse, beneficial or otherwise, are not readily and accurately identifiable (for example, where the trust is a discretionary trust with broad and potentially unlimited beneficiaries).

Date of effect for following rule amendments 6 April 2023

### PART 5 – ELIGIBILITY OF HORSES TO RACE

## Division 2 – Restrictions/exclusions in relation to participation of horses in races etc

## AR 88B Horses returning from extended layoffs, injuries etc.

(1) Where a horse has not participated in a race for 12 months or more, the trainer and any other person in charge of the horse must comply with the Racing Australia Code of Practice: Horses that have not started for 12+ months (as amended from time to time) in respect of any future running of the horse in a race, official trial or jump-out.

(2) Where a horse is detected with a cardiac arrhythmia, or where a cardiac arrhythmia has been identified, following a race, official trial, jump-out, or at any other time, including, but not limited to, following track work, the trainer and any other person in charge of the horse must;

- (a) report the detection or identification of a cardiac arrhythmia to the Stewards without delay, and
- (b) comply with the Racing Australia Code of Practice: Cardiac arrhythmias detected during post-race inspections (as amended from time to time) in respect of any future training of the horse and/or running of the horse in a race, official trial or jump-out.

3) Where a horse has sustained a major fracture and/or undergone major orthopaedic surgery, the trainer and any other person in charge of the horse must comply with the Racing Australia Code of Practice: Compulsory reporting of major fractures, orthopaedic surgery and



approval of affected horses to return to racing (as amended from time to time) in respect of reporting such events and any future training of the horse and/or running of the horse in a race, official trial or jump-out. For the purposes of this subrule, "major fracture" and "major orthopaedic surgery" have the meanings given to them in the Code of Practice. [rule added 1.6.23]

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### AR 78 12+ year old horses

(1) Subject to subrule (2), if a horse is aged 12 years or more:

- (a) the horse is ineligible for; and
- (b) a person must not enter or start the horse in, any race.

(2) The Stewards may give their express permission for a horse aged 12 years to start in a race/s during its 12 year old racing season, if:

- (a) the trainer provides to the Stewards a veterinary report in respect of the horse's condition and suitability to race, and any other information, examination or report as required by the Stewards;
- (b) as required the trainer complies with the Racing Australia Code of Practice: Veterinary Inspections for 12 year old horses (as amended from time to time); and
- (c) the Stewards are satisfied that the horse is suitable to race. [subrule amended 1.6.23]

(3) Any permission granted by the Stewards under subrule (2) expires at the conclusion of the horse's 12 year old racing season, or earlier as provided by the Stewards.

(4) Upon a horse turning 13 years of age, it is immediately ineligible to race, trial or be trained. [subrule amended 1.4.20]

(5) If a horse aged 12 years participates in any race without the permission of the Stewards in accordance with this rule, or if a horse over 12 years participates in a race, the horse must be disqualified from the relevant race. [subrule amended 1.4.20]

## PART 13 – DISCIPLINARY PROCESSES, PENALTIES & RESTRICTIONS

## Division 2 – Effects of penalties and restrictions imposed on persons and horses

## AR 279 No damages for decisions made under the Rules

(1) A person is not entitled to make any claim for damages by reason or in consequence of the imposition, annulment, removal, variation, or remission of any decision made, or penalty, restriction or sanction imposed or purporting to be imposed, under the Rules.

(2) Neither Racing Australia (including the Australian Stud Book), a PRA, a Steward, a Club, or an official shall be liable to any person for any loss or damage sustained by that person as a result of, or in any way (either directly or indirectly) arising out of the exercise of any right, privilege, power, duty, function or discretion conferred or imposed, or bona-fide believed to have been conferred or imposed, under the Rules.

### PART 14 - TRACEABILITY RULES

### **Division 2 – Named horses**

### AR 297 Decision to retire named horse

(1) Within 7 days of a decision to retire a named horse from racing, the manager or his or her authorised agent must notify Racing Australia of that fact by lodging the relevant form (including a Stable Return where applicable) prescribed by Racing Australia.

(2) Once a form has been lodged in accordance with subrule (1), the horse will be ineligible to race or be trained unless it is reinstated to race or be trained in accordance with this rule.

(3) If a horse ceases to be eligible to race or be trained under this rule, a person must not reinstate the horse to race or be trained unless he or she complies with the Racing Australia Code of Practice: Reinstatement of a retired racehorse (as amended from time to time) and obtains the express permission of a PRA or the Stewards. [sub-rule amended 1.6.23]

(4) Without limiting their powers to refuse to reinstate a horse to race or be trained in their absolute discretion, for the purposes of subrule (3) a PRA or the Stewards must not grant permission for a horse to be reinstated to race or be trained unless:

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must not grant permission for a horse to be reinstated to race or be trained unless:

- (a) the horse has passed a veterinary examination conducted by a qualified veterinary surgeon to the satisfaction of the relevant PRA or the Stewards;
- (b) all relevant transfers of ownership in respect of the horse have been registered with Racing Australia or the relevant PRA (as applicable) in accordance with the Rules; and
- (c) the horse, the trainer and/or the manager have satisfied any other reinstatement requirements of the relevant PRA or the Stewards; and
- (d) the relevant PRA or the Stewards have considered the wishes of the last owner/s of the horse prior to retirement from racing in respect of any future reinstatement, as notified on the relevant form (including a Stable Return where applicable).

(5) Notwithstanding AR 78, within 7 days of a horse turning 13 years of age, the manager or his or her authorised agent must notify Racing Australia of the horse's retirement by lodging the relevant form (including a Stable Return where applicable) prescribed by Racing Australia.

## PART 4 – HORSE REGISTRATION, OWNERSHIP, LEASING & TRACEABILITY

### **Division 2 – Horse ownership**

## AR 36A Fitness and propriety restrictions on persons who can own or race a horse

(1) Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards (as applicable) may restrict any person from holding an ownership or lease interest in a horse if, in their opinion, the person is not a fit and proper person to own or lease a horse.

(2) Without limiting subrule (1), except where otherwise permitted by Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards (as applicable), a person is not permitted to hold an ownership or lease interest in a horse if the person:

- (a) has been convicted of an indictable criminal offence or a criminal offence involving violence against a person or dishonest activity in the previous 10 years;
- (b) has been convicted of an offence under any animal welfare or prevention of cruelty to animals legislation in the previous 10 years; or
- (c) is an undischarged bankrupt or is taking advantage of the laws in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy.

(3) Subject to subrule (4), a person must not enter or cause to be entered a horse in a race, official trial or jump-out where a person who is not permitted to hold an ownership or 36 lease interest in the horse pursuant to subrule (1) or (2) purports to hold such an interest in the horse.

(4) Notwithstanding Racing Australia, a PRA or the Stewards assessing a person as fit and proper or not, any other PRA/s may conduct its own assessment as to that person's fitness and propriety before permitting him or her to own, lease or race a horse in that PRA's jurisdiction.

(5) For the sake of clarity and without limiting any other provisions of the Rules, an ownership or lease interest includes an interest held by a person (from 0% to 100% inclusive) as a:

- (a) director or shareholder of a company;
- (b) partner of a partnership or firm;
- (c) trustee of a trust;
- (d) manager or member of a syndicate,

nd any other interest or position where the person is able to exercise any control or influence in respect of a horse, or either directly or indirectly has the power to vote or participate in decisions in respect of the horse.

### AR 36B Ownership via certain trusts prohibited

Without limiting any other provisions of the Rules and except where permitted by a PRA, an ownership or lease interest in a horse is not permitted to be held in a trust where the persons having an interest in the horse, beneficial or otherwise, are not readily and accurately identifiable (for example, where the trust is a discretionary trust with broad and potentially unlimited beneficiaries).

Date of effect for following rule amendments 6 April 2023



### CODE OF PRACTICE HORSES THAT HAVE NOT STARTED FOR 12+ MONTHS

Effective 1st June 2023

### POLICY

Where a horse has not raced for 12 months or longer, a satisfactory veterinary clearance must be obtained and the horse must trial satisfactorily before being granted permission to nominate for a race.

### DEFINITIONS

Qualified veterinary surgeon means a veterinarian who is:

(a) registered with the Veterinary Practitioners Board (or equivalent regulatory body) in a State or Territory of Australia; and

(b) approved by the relevant PRA (including by way of permit, approval or licence) if required by a Local Rule of that PRA.

### PROTOCOLS

1. Veterinary clearance before trialing The trainer of a horse that has not raced for 12 months or longer must produce to the Stewards a veterinary clearance as well as any other information, examination or report they require, from a qualified veterinary surgeon indicating that the horse is suitable to resume trialing and racing. Details of any injury or medical condition which might have caused the prolonged break from training or racing must be provided with the veterinary clearance.

Following receipt of a satisfactory veterinary clearance, the Stewards may grant written permission for the horse to be nominated for and participate in an official trial.

2. Satisfactory trial If permission to trial is granted by the Stewards, the horse must: (a) participate in an official trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards; and (b) have a post-trial veterinary examination (conducted by a qualified veterinary surgeon) to ensure that the horse is suitable to continue its training regime.

3. Permission to race Following a satisfactory trial and upon receiving the above satisfactory post-trial veterinary examination report, the Stewards may grant written permission for the horse to be nominated for and participate in a race.



### **CODE OF PRACTICE**

### **CARDIAC ARRHYTHMIAS DETECTED DURING POST-EVENT INSPECTIONS**

Effective 1st June 2023

### POLICY

Where a horse is detected with a pathological cardiac arrhythmia (including atrial fibrillation) on auscultation after a race, official trial and/or jump-out the horse must undergo additional diagnostic procedures to determine the cause of the arrhythmia and a period of rest to allow the horse to recover and be treated if necessary.

The following protocols must be followed according to the number of occasions the horse has been detected with a cardiac arrhythmia.

### DEFINITIONS

Qualified veterinary surgeon means a veterinarian who is:

(a) registered with the Veterinary Practitioners Board (or equivalent regulatory body) in a State or Territory of Australia; and

(b) approved by the relevant PRA (including by way of permit, approval or licence) if required by a Local Rule of that PRA.

### PROTOCOLS

### 1. <u>Cardiac arrhythmia (pathological) found for the first time</u>

Where a horse is found to have experienced a pathological cardiac arrhythmia for the first time, the horse must not start in a further race, official trial, or jump-out until the Stewards have received a satisfactory report from a qualified veterinary surgeon which includes the results of:

(a) an electrocardiography (ECG) of more than 60 seconds duration performed by that veterinarian whilst the horse is at rest; and

(b) a cardiac auscultation performed by that veterinarian within 15 minutes of the horse completing a satisfactory gallop of at least 1000 metres.

#### 2. Cardiac arrhythmia (pathological) found for a second time

Where a horse is found to have experienced a pathological cardiac arrhythmia for a second time, the horse must not start in a further race, official trial, or jump-out until the Stewards have received a satisfactory report from a qualified veterinary surgeon with specialist qualifications in equine medicine which includes the results of:

(a) echocardiography performed by that veterinarian at rest;

(b) electrocardiography (ECG) performed by that veterinarian at rest and at exercise (see below Notes on obtaining and interpreting an exercising ECG); and

(c) any other examination that that veterinarian requests.

Following acceptance by the Stewards of the above report, they may grant written permission for the horse to be nominated for and participate in an official trial or jump-out. The horse must not be nominated for a race unless:



### CODE OF PRACTICE CARDIAC ARRHYTHMIAS DETECTED DURING POST-EVENT INSPECTIONS

Effective 1st June 2023

### PROTOCOLS

### 2. Cardiac arrhythmia (pathological) found for a second time (continued)

(a) it trials to the satisfaction of the Stewards in an official trial of at least 1,000 metres; and
(b) a qualified veterinary surgeon provides a satisfactory post-trial report that includes the results of cardiac auscultation within 15 minutes of completion of the official trial. Following a satisfactory trial or jump-out which only Stewards or Veterinarians officiate at, and upon receiving the satisfactory post-trial veterinary report referred to above, the Stewards may grant written permission for the horse to be nominated for and participate in a race.

### 3. <u>Cardiac arrhythmia (pathological) found for a third time</u>

Where a horse is found to have experienced a pathological cardiac arrhythmia for a third time, the horse will be ineligible to start in any race, official trial, or jump-out, or be trained, unless otherwise determined by the Stewards in writing.

### Notes on obtaining and interpreting an exercising ECG

(a) Exercising ECG should allow evaluation of the rhythm at rest (minimum 60 seconds duration) and a continuous recording during a strenuous exercise test either on a treadmill or track. A heart rate greater than 200 beats per minute should be sustained for a minimum of 60 seconds. The recording should continue until the heart rate of the horse is below 80 beats per minute. Notwithstanding the potential for electrical interference, the recording must be of sufficient quality to allow evaluation of the heart rate, rhythm and morphology of complexes.

(b) Horses with a high number of premature atrial contractions or runs of atrial tachycardia are likely to be at higher risk of developing atrial fibrillation.

(c) Atrial fibrillation causes poor performance. Atrial fibrillation may be associated with ventricular arrhythmias and although unlikely this may result in collapse or death.

(d) Arrhythmia are common in the immediate post exercise period (heart rate 180-220) beats per minute. Although common some arrhythmias can be a cause for concern as horses are known to collapse after finishing a race.

(e) Sinus arrhythmia or occasional monomorphic premature complexes which are overdriven by intense exercise or only occur in the immediate post exercise period are unlikely to cause poor performance or endanger the safety of horse or rider.

(f) Bradyarrhythmia which are not overdriven by exercise are of concern and these horses are not safe to ride.

(g) Premature complexes occurring during intense exercise (heart rate greater than 200 beats per minute) may be a cause for concern.

(h) Features of complex ventricular arrhythmia which are a cause for concern in any phase of the exercise test include; multiform QRS morphology, highly premature R on T timing, repetitive activity (couplets, triplets), paroxysmal or sustained VT, multiform tachycardia and polymorphic tachycardia.

(i) Electrocardiographic findings should be interpreted alongside other clinical findings such as: abnormalities of cardiac chamber size, myocardial thickness or significant valvular regurgitation, haematological and biochemical findings, urinary fractional excretion of electrolytes and upper or lower airway disease.

(j) Other diagnostic tests which may allow further evaluation of the heart include 24-hour ECG monitoring and measurement of cardiac troponin I before and 4 hours after a strenuous exercise test



### CODE OF PRACTICE COMPULSORY REPORTING OF MAJOR FRACTURES, ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY AND APPROVAL OF AFFECTED HORSES TO RETURN TO RACING

Effective 1st June 2023

### POLICY

This policy is intended to help identify and manage racehorses that sustain major fractures or undergo major orthopaedic surgery and manage their return to training, galloping, trialling, and racing. Where a horse has sustained a major fracture and/or undergone major orthopedic surgery, that injury/procedure must be reported within 7 days. Such horses must not return to racing until they have undergone appropriate veterinary examinations and trials to obtain the requisite PRA permission.

### DEFINITIONS

Major fracture includes, but is not limited to:

- (a) fractures to third metacarpus and metatarsus (cannon bone);
- (b) fractures of the proximal phalanx (pastern);
- (c) carpal and tarsal slab fractures;
- (d) fractures of the proximal sesamoid bones (mid-body and basal); and
- (e) stress fractures of long bones and the pelvis.

Major orthopaedic surgery includes, but is not limited to, fracture repair with the placement of surgical implants.

(The treating veterinary surgeon should provide appropriate advice to a trainer on whether an injury should be classified as a major fracture and whether major orthopaedic surgery has been performed.)

Qualified veterinary surgeon means a veterinarian who is:

(a) registered with the Veterinary Practitioners Board (or equivalent regulatory body) in a State or Territory of Australia; and

(b) approved by the relevant PRA (including by way of permit, approval or licence) if required by a Local Rule of that PRA.

### PROTOCOLS

1. Mandatory reporting

Where a horse has sustained a major fracture and/or undergone major orthopedic surgery, that occurrence must be reported by the trainer to the relevant PRA within 7 days of the injury or procedure.

2. Return to training, galloping, trialling, racing

To be permitted to return to training, the trainer must comply with the following procedure;

Step 1

The trainer must submit to the PRA a comprehensive clinical report by the qualified veterinary surgeon who performed the surgical procedure or who managed the injury conservatively.

The report must include details of the nature of the injury, copies of any diagnostic images, procedures performed, post-injury management recommended and prognosis for a return to racing.

Step 2

When the trainer and the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon are satisfied that the horse is in a suitable condition to return to training a veterinary examination of the injured structures must be performed according to the protocols specified below.



### **CODE OF PRACTICE**

### COMPULSORY REPORTING OF MAJOR FRACTURES, ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY AND APPROVAL OF AFFECTED HORSES TO RETURN TO RACING

### **PROTOCOLS** (continued)

A report of the examination must be provided to the PRA, together with an opinion from the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon as to the horse's suitability to undertake a 1000m gallop in front of the Stewards.

Step 2 (a)

For all major fractures, except stress fractures of long bones and the pelvis, both the affected limb and the contra-lateral limb must be radiographed and examined by the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon (or other veterinarian approved by the PRA).

Unless otherwise determined by the Stewards on the basis of veterinary regulatory advice, the examination must include the following radiographic views for fractures that have occurred in the fetlock/distal cannon region:

(a) Standing DPa (dorsal 150 proximal-palmar distal view)

- (b) Standing lateral (latero-medial view)
- (c) Lateral oblique (dorso 100 proximo 300 lateral palmaro-distal medial oblique view).
- (d) Medial oblique (dorso 100 proximo- 300 medial palmaro-distal lateral oblique view).
- (e) Flexed LM (flexed latero-medial view)
- (f) Flexed DPa (flexed dorsal 150 distal palmaro-proximal oblique view)

Radiographs of other regions should be performed and recorded according to accepted radiographic best practice.

#### Step 2 (b)

If the trainer and the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon are satisfied that the horse is in a suitable condition to return to galloping less than 4 months after being diagnosed with stress fractures of long bones or the pelvis, the horse must undergo scintigraphy of the affected area.

On receipt of the examination report which includes an opinion from the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon that the horse is suitable to undertake a 1000m gallop in front of the Stewards, the PRA will consider the report and request any further material considered necessary.

Following that consideration (and any further material), the PRA may approve the horse to undertake a 1000m gallop in front of the Stewards.

Step 3

he horse gallops over 1000m to the satisfaction of the Stewards.

Step 4

Following the 1000m gallop, the trainer must arrange for a follow-up clinical veterinary examination to be performed by the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon. A report of that examination must then be provided to the PRA.

Following consideration of that report, the PRA may approve the horse to participate in an official trial over 1000m.



### CODE OF PRACTICE

### COMPULSORY REPORTING OF MAJOR FRACTURES, ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY AND APPROVAL OF AFFECTED HORSES TO RETURN TO RACING

### **PROTOCOLS** (continued)

### Step 5

The horse participates in an official trial over 1000m to the satisfaction of the Stewards.

### Step 6

Following the official trial, a follow-up clinical veterinary examination must be performed by the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon and a report of that examination (which must include certification of suitability to race) must be provided to the PRA.

If the examining veterinary surgeon is in any doubt as to the suitability of a horse to return to racing, further diagnostic procedures must be undertaken to establish the suitability of the horse for racing.

Following consideration of the report (and the results of any further diagnostic procedures), the PRA may approve the horse to be nominated for a race.

### **Ongoing Monitoring**

Following the horse's return to racing, the trainer must, in conjunction with the stable's qualified veterinary surgeon, implement a system of monitoring the musculoskeletal health of the horse with special attention being paid to the affected and the contra-lateral limbs.

If any lameness or evidence of any musculoskeletal condition is detected at any stage, the veterinarian must undertake whatever diagnostic procedures are necessary to establish a definitive diagnosis and provide a comprehensive report to the PRA regarding the nature of the condition, the diagnostic procedures performed and an assessment of the horse's suitability to continue racing.



### CODE OF PRACTICE VETERINARY INSPECTIONS FOR 12 YEAR OLD HORSES

*Effective 1st June 2023* 

### POLICY

A horse aged 12 years that is permitted to race by the Stewards under AR 78(2) will be subject to pre-race and post-race veterinary inspections on race day.

### DEFINITIONS

Qualified veterinary surgeon means a veterinarian who is:

(a) registered with the Veterinary Practitioners Board (or equivalent regulatory body) in a State or Territory of Australia; and

(b) approved by the relevant PRA (including by way of permit, approval or licence) if required by a Local Rule of that PRA.

### PROTOCOLS

1. Before a horse aged 12 years is permitted to start in a race during its 12 year old racing season, the trainer must provide the Stewards with a report prepared by a qualified veterinary surgeon which sets out the horse's condition and suitability race, as well as any other information, examination or report they require.

2. Where the Stewards are satisfied the horse is suitable to race and grant permission for it to race, on each day that the horse is presented on a racecourse to participate in a race, the horse must undergo pre-race and post-race inspections conducted by the PRA's veterinary officer.

3. The veterinary officer will complete a PRA veterinary report for horse 12 years of age (see below) which details those inspections as well as the horse's performance in the race.

4. The Stewards will consider the veterinary officer's report (and any other relevant information) and may grant written permission for the horse to participate in another race in its 12 year old racing season.



### CODE OF PRACTICE REINSTATEMENT OF A RETIRED RACEHORSE

*Effective 1st June 2023* 

### POLICY

The reinstatement of a retired horse to be trained and raced requires the express prior permission of the Stewards under AR 297.

Ownership disputes and horse history (including the last owners' wishes) will be investigated by the Stewards prior to a decision being made to reinstate the horse.

Any ownership transfers and/or lease registration must be processed by Racing Australia or the relevant PRA (as applicable) in the usual manner before the horse is reinstated to participate in an official trial, jump-out or race.

### DEFINITIONS

Qualified veterinary surgeon means a veterinarian who is:

(a) registered with the Veterinary Practitioners Board (or equivalent regulatory body) in a State or Territory of Australia; and

(b) approved by the relevant PRA (including by way of permit, approval or licence) if required by a Local Rule of that PRA.

### PROTOCOLS

The sequence of events leading to possible reinstatement is as follows:

1. Applications to have a horse reinstated should be submitted in writing prior to, or immediately upon, the horse entering a trainer's stable. Trainers are reminded that a stable return must be lodged immediately upon a horse entering their stable (AR 296). Any person who fails to comply with AR 296 commits a breach of the Rules of Racing and may be penalised.

2. An application in writing to the Stewards is made by completing the Application for reinstatement of a retired racehorse form (see below) which requires an examination by a qualified veterinary surgeon and report, with particular reference to the full reasons for retirement and an assessment of the horse's suitability to return to training and racing.

3. Once submitted, the application and the veterinary report from the qualified veterinary surgeon will be considered before it is decided if any further examinations and/or tests are required. Only the Stewards (and PRAs) hold authority for approval to reinstate the horse.

4. When a horse has the written approval of Stewards to be reinstated to be trained, it must then participate in an official trial or jump-out to the satisfaction of the Stewards.

5. After satisfactorily participating in an official trial or jump-out, the horse must undergo an examination by a qualified veterinary surgeon and the trainer must submit a satisfactory veterinary clearance to the Stewards.

6. The Stewards will then examine all the evidence and may grant written permission for the horse to resume racing



### **INDUSTRY NOTICES**

### **REGISTER OF DISQUALIFICATION, WARNING OFF & FORFEIT LIST**

So long as any person is on the Forfeit List, he/she is subject to the same disabilities and penalties as are declared by AR263 to apply to persons who are disqualified.

So long as any horse is on the Forfeit List, such horse shall not be entered in or run any race, or be trained upon any course where these Rules are in force.

### Disqualifications

| Name                                                      | Rule                                                    | Penalty                                                                                                     | Effective Date               | Expiry Date |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| Scott Dyer                                                | TRNT adopted<br>penalty issued by<br>Harness Racing Vic | 8 years                                                                                                     | Backdated from<br>25/05/2015 | 25/06/2026  |
| Dean Slattery                                             | AR228(a)<br>AR232(c)<br>AR263(1)(k)                     | 8 months<br>18 months<br>(penalties to be served<br>concurrently)<br>Penalty recommenced from<br>13/06/2020 | 12/02/2020                   | 13/06/2024  |
| Daniel Jack Smith<br>(formerly Terry<br>Charles Treichel) | AR229(1)(h)<br>AR115(1)(e)<br>AR115(1)(c)               | 18 months<br>5 years                                                                                        | 18/12/2020                   | 18/12/2025  |
| Garry Douglas Lefoe                                       | AR245 (1)                                               | 15 months                                                                                                   | 29/06/2022                   | 29/09/2023  |

### Warned Off

| Name               | Reason           | Penalty    | Effective Date | Expiry Date               |
|--------------------|------------------|------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| Jason Clifford     | Improper conduct | Warned Off | 20/09/2000     | TRNT Boards<br>discretion |
| Michael Holdsworth | Improper conduct | Warned Off | 20/01/2006     | TRNT Boards<br>discretion |
| Jason Hyder        | Improper conduct | Warned Off | 04/02/2015     | TRNT Boards<br>discretion |

### **Forfeit List**

| Name          | Reason             | Penalty      | Effective Date | Expiry Date |
|---------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|
| Brian Campisi | Outstanding Monies | Forfeit List | 23/03/2023     |             |



### **NOTICE TO ALL TRAINERS**

### **TRAINERS & OWNERS REMINDER**

#### **STABLE RETURNS**

Trainers are reminded of their obligations in regards to stable returns. *AR 103 Trainers to lodge Stable Returns* 

- (4) The trainer of a horse must:
  - (a) disclose the location of a horse under his or her care upon request by Racing Australia (for retirement purposes only) and/or a PRA;

(b) lodge a Stable Return *immediately* upon a horse joining the trainer's stable;

(c) lodge an amendment to a Stable Return *immediately* if:

- (i) any particulars on the Stable Return have changed; or
   (ii) a horse leaves or joins the trainer's stable, or moves to another of the trainer's premises (where the trainer's stable is comprised of more than one premises), with the amendment to disclose the precise location of the horse.
- (5) For the purposes of subrule (4):
  - (a) if a trainer's stable is comprised of more than one premises, the trainer must disclose at which premises the horse is located;(b) when a horse leaves a trainer's stable to spell or otherwise the trainer must disclose the location of the property at which the horse will be located.
- (6) Where a horse has been entered for a race, from the time of entry to arrival on course prior to racing:
  - (a) except with the permission of the Stewards, the horse must be stabled only at the premises from which the horse's trainer is licensed to train;
  - (b) if the horse is travelling to participate in the race, the horse's trainer must inform the Stewards of the horse's proposed travel plans prior to the horse's departure from the trainer's stable and/or lodge a Stable Return disclosing the location of the horse (as required by the relevant PRA).
- (7) If a trainer fails to lodge, in whole or in part, a Stable Return or any amendment thereof, or fails to provide details of the location or movements of a horse, in accordance with the provisions of this rule, the entry of the horse for any race, official trial or jump-out may be rejected or cancelled.
- (8) The manager (or his or her authorised agent) of an eligible horse or a named horse must, unless otherwise contained in a Stable Return lodged in accordance with this rule, disclose:
  - (a) the location of that horse upon request by Racing Australia and/or a PRA, including as required under any registration, ownership transfer or other form;
  - (b) any change in the previously notified location of that horse, to the satisfaction of a PRA, *immediately*.

When a horse is retiring from racing but remaining in the stable until a suitable home is found a stable return can be entered as : "Active Non-stable training".

#### TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

Please remember that a transfer of ownership must be lodged and paid for to Racing Australia prior to the horse being nominated. Once the transfer has been processed a stable return <u>must</u> be lodged with the new registered owners.

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#### **NOTICES**

Notice regarding the detection of the bronchodilator drug clenbuterol The International Screening Limit (ISL) for clenbuterol of 0.1ng/ml in urine has been adopted by Racing Australia and will be implemented by Australian racing laboratories with effect from 1 April 2023.

This will have important implications for the detection of clenbuterol following its administration to racehorses, and will lead to a prolongation of detection times for this substance. The European Horserace Scientific Liaison Committee (EHSLC) has published detection time information for clenbuterol following both oral and nebulised administration. The published detection times of 13 days (oral) and 6 days (nebulised), for the stated dosage regimen and pharmaceutical preparations, are valid for the new ISL to be applied by Australian racing laboratories.

The EHSLC detection time document can be found here; https://www.ehslc.com/images/uploads/documents/EHSLC\_DETE CTION\_TIMES\_(updated\_1\_Febru ary\_2021).pdf

It should be noted that the revised detection times for clenbuterol are longer than the 3 - 4 days (oral) and 2 days (nebulised) previously reported, using the analytical methodology at that time, in the Australian Equine Veterinary Association (now Equine Veterinarians Australia - EVA) publication 'Detection of Therapeutic Substances in Racing Horses' ('The White Book').

Veterinarians are therefore advised that recommended withdrawal periods for treatment with clenbuterol (for example, in products including, but not limited to, Airway Gel, Claire Gel, Broncopulmin Powder, Ventipulmin Granules, Ventipulmin Injection and products in combination with trimethoprim and sulfadiazine) must be based on the published EHSLC detection times and not on the previous advice provided in the 'The White Book', and that trainers are warned accordingly. The EHSLC detection times appear, alongside those previously published in 'The White Book', in the current Equine Veterinarians Australia (EVA) publication 'Equine Medication Detection and Withdrawal Times: A Survey of Veterinarians in Australia'.

It is important to note that a withdrawal (or withholding) period is not the same as a detection period. Any withdrawal period should be calculated based on the published detection time, with the addition of a suitable safety margin based on the circumstances of the administration, including dose, route of administration and preparation administered. It should also be noted that none of the veterinary preparations containing clenbuterol registered for use in Australia are registered for administration by nebulisation. Such administration therefore represents off-label use of these products. The screening limit of 0.1ng/mL in urine for clenbuterol will come into effect on 1 April, 2023.

#### For further information: Racing Australia (02) 8072 1900





| Final  | 25th August | BM66 1200m    | \$40,000 |
|--------|-------------|---------------|----------|
| Heat 7 | 12th August | BM54 1200m    | \$20,000 |
| Heat 6 | 30th July   | 0-64 1200m    | \$20,500 |
| Heat 5 | 16th July   | BM54 1100m    | \$20,500 |
| Heat 4 | 2nd July    | 0-58 1100m    | \$20,000 |
| Heat 3 | 18th June   | 0-64 1100m    | \$20,000 |
| Heat 2 | 4th June    | Class 2 1100m | \$20,000 |
| Heat 1 | 28th May    | 0-58 1200m    | \$20,000 |

Leading Trainer of the Series



The trainer of the horse accruing the highest number of points in the series (including the final) will receive \$2,000. In the event of a tie, the trainer of the horse with the most wins takes the prize, if still tied, trainer whose horse has the most seconds, etc, until a winner is found.

### Qualifying Conditions

NB: to be eligible for the final, horse must have had at least one start in a heat of the series)

- 5 points for a win
- 3 points for second
- 2 points for third
- 1 point for unplaced runners

Highest qualifier by points gains entry to the final first, while in the case of horses tied on the same points, the horse with the highest rating will gain preference, with the horse with the highest stakemoney earned next preferred.



- Heat 1 •
- 18th November
- Heat 2
- Heat 3
- Heat 4
- Heat 5
  - Heat 6
    - Final

- 1st December 8th December
- 16th December
- 30th December
- 13th January
- 26th January
- BM54 1200M \$20,000 0-58 1100M \$20,000 TBA TBA TBA-TBA 0-70 <u>1200M</u>
  - \$20,000 \$20,000 \$20,000 \$20,000 \$40,000

## LEADING TRAINER **OF SERIES-** \$2,000

In the event of a tie, the trainer with the most wins takes the prize, if still tied, trainer with the most seconds, etc, until a winner is found. NB: Includes the final.

### QUALIFYING CONDITIONS

5pts for a win - 3pts for second - 2pts for third - 1pt for unplaced runners. Highest qualifier by points gains entry to the final first, while in the case of horses tied on the same points, the horse with the highest rating will gain preference, with the horse with the highest stakemoney earned next preferred.

## TROBIS

**TERRITORY RACEHORSE OWNERS BONUS INCENTIVE SCHEME** 

Private purchasers nomination fee \$1200 Horses sold through Alice Springs Turf Club or Darwin Turf Club \$900. Early nomination fee \$300 for the progeny of Northern Territory broodmares The definition of a Northern Territory broodmare is: "A broodmare which, at the time of foaling, has as a minimum 50 per cent Northern Territory residents as owners. All early nominations for progeny of NT Broodmares must be received and the appropriate fees paid by 31 July in the season after the horse to be nominated was foaled (prior to the horse turning 2YO).



### THOROUGHBRED RACING NT

### BONUS 1 \$4000

to be paid to the winner if TROBIS qualified or 50% (\$2000) to the first horse past the post in second to fifth place. Any nomination for TROBIS must be made prior to the horse turning four years of age. Horses bought through the Darwin Magic Millions Tried Horse Sale that turn four on 1 August, nomination fees must be paid before 31 August of that year, or prior to acceptances for the horse's first run in the NT, whichever comes first.ill be forfeited.

All TROBIS races are identified in the racing program.

- Horses not qualified for TROBIS may run in TROBIS bonus races, but are ineligible to receive bonuses.
- TROBIS nomination forms are available from the offices of Thoroughbred Racing NT.

To be eligible for nomination, horses must have a minimum of 25 per cent Northern Territory ownership or lease holding. Horses nominated for TROBIS will be eligible to win advertised bonuses whilst they are two, three and four years old. CONDITIONS

Any nomination may, at the discretion of the TROBIS Executive Committee, be rejected without assigning any reason. Notwithstanding the above, the TROBIS nomination for any horse must be received and the correct fee paid no later than 24 hours prior to acceptances for its first race start in the Northern Territory.

Should a dead heat occur in a TROBIS race, the bonus will be shared equally between such horses.

The TROBIS nominator's payment will be made to the current owner (manager) as per the Australian Register of Racehorses or registered lease document.

Should a nominator (owner or vendor) supply incorrect information on the TROBIS nomination form, the nomination will be null and void and all fees paid will be forfeited.



BONUS 2 \$1000

TROBIS qualified horse



### BENCHMARK RACES

### **AVERAGE BENCHMARK**

|                                                                                                                                        |                           | 04.0 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|------|
| Average Benchmark Races (ABR) are races where the benchmark level is set after nominations are taken.                                  |                           | 63.5 |
| HOW ABR RACES WORK                                                                                                                     |                           | 63.5 |
| · Entries are taken as per normal.                                                                                                     |                           | 62.0 |
| <ul> <li>The average rating of those horses entered is then<br/>calculated (see conditions).</li> </ul>                                |                           | 63.0 |
| • The average rating then becomes the benchmark for that                                                                               |                           | 63.0 |
| race.                                                                                                                                  |                           | 62.5 |
| <ul> <li>The Benchmark (rating) for the race is then allocated</li> <li>58kg's and all other horses are weighted up or down</li> </ul> |                           |      |
| according to the template.                                                                                                             |                           | 62.5 |
| Conditions                                                                                                                             |                           | 62.0 |
| $\cdot$ To ensure that the Benchmark is not skewed either by a                                                                         |                           | 62.0 |
| particularly high or low rated horse the top and bottom<br>rated 10% of horses entered, or in cases where there are                    |                           |      |
| less than ten entries the highest and lowest rated horses                                                                              |                           | 61.5 |
| are discounted for the purpose of calculating the average.                                                                             |                           | 61.5 |
| The remaining horses ratings are then averaged to create<br>the benchmark for that race.                                               |                           | 61.0 |
| $\cdot$ Any horse which runs in the first three in an ABR and is                                                                       |                           |      |
| rated below the 55.0kg minimum will automatically be rerated up to the 55.0kg of that race.                                            |                           | 60.5 |
| · If the stewards believe that any horse/s may have been                                                                               |                           | 60.0 |
| nominated in an endeavor to affect the Benchmark in an<br>ABR race they may instruct the handicapper to discount                       |                           | 59.5 |
| its rating in the calculation of the Benchmark for that race.                                                                          |                           | 55.5 |
| Stewards will scrutinize the nominations and exclude any                                                                               |                           | 59.0 |
| horses from the calculation of the average benchmark if<br>they believe that such horse/s sits outside the norm for                    |                           | 58.5 |
| that race. All horses which are used for the average                                                                                   | Sliding scale for average | 50.0 |
| calculation will be identified on the weights.                                                                                         | benchmark races           | 58.0 |
| Amended Benchmark 54 races —                                                                                                           |                           | 57.5 |
| November 1, 2020                                                                                                                       |                           | 57.0 |
| 54 rated horses to carry the equivalent of 59kg. Each                                                                                  |                           | 56.5 |
| rating point above 54 will incur a penalty of 0.5kg, i.e. a 60<br>rater (6pts above 54) will receive 62kg. Similarly, each             |                           | 56.0 |
| horse's rating below 54 will reduce the weight carried by                                                                              |                           | 50.0 |
| 0.5kg down to a minimum of 55kg.                                                                                                       |                           | 55.5 |
| Trainers will be permitted to enter horses rated above 54                                                                              |                           | 55.0 |
| but no horse with a rating above 60 will be eligible.                                                                                  |                           |      |
|                                                                                                                                        |                           |      |

### **COUNTRY MEETING SUBSIDIES AND BONUSES**

### **TENNANT CREEK**

\$500 travel subsidy per horse \$200 bonus for each winning trainer and jockey

### **KATHERINE**

\$500 travel subsidy per horse \$200 bonus for each winning trainer and jockey

### **ADELAIDE RIVER**

\$200 travel subsidy per horse \$200 bonus for each winning trainer and jockey

64.0

The travel subsidy will be paid to the trainer of each horse that starts at the respective country fixtures.

### **RATINGS - BANDED RACES AND BUSINESS RULES**

**1.** All horses intending to run in a Ratings banded race in the Northern Territory must have a rating formalized by the official handicapping panel assigned to the Northern Territory (TRSA Handicapping Panel) prior to nomination closing time.

**2**. Only ratings issued by the TRSA handicapping panel for the Northern Territory will be recognized.

**3**. Horses domiciled in the Northern Territory competing in other states will need to be re-rated on return to the Northern Territory. It cannot be assumed the interstate ratings will be directly correlated to the Northern Territory template rating or other templates.

**4**. Horses will be eligible to nominate for races which have a rating qualification, if at the time of nomination they qualify in the specified Rating Band. Horses eligible at nomination time shall be permitted to compete regardless of any subsequent rating by virtue of rehandicap in that race even if that rating exceeds or drops below the top or bottom rating band in that race.

**5.** Horses shall receive a handicap in a race according to their rating at close of Nomination time in line with the NT RBH template. Provided that any horse racing between the time of close of nominations and declaration of weight time may be re-rated by the handicapper in accordance with performances in this period.

**6.** Fillies and Mares allowed a 2.0kg sex allowance. 2 & 3yo's allowed an allowance the same as the **maiden scale**.

7. Set weight maiden scale is as follows:

#### August-November

4yo and up geldings and entires - 59.0kg; 4yo and up mares - 57.0kg; 3yo colts and geldings - 56.5kg; 3yo fillies - 54.5kg.

#### **December-March**

4yo and up geldings and entires - 59.0kg; 4yo and up mares - 57.0kg; 3yo colts and geldings - 57.5kg; 3yo fillies - 55.5kg; 2yo colts and geldings - 56.5kg; 2yo fillies - 54.5kg.

#### **April-July**

4yo and up geldings and entires - 59.0kg; 4yo and up mares - 57.0kg; 3yo colts and geldings - 58.5kg; 3yo fillies - 56.5kg; 2yo colts and geldings - 57.5kg; 2yo fillies - 55.5kg.

**8.** All races are subject to AR167 and any rules that pertain to minimum and maximum weights, (notwithstanding re handicapped horses, see point 4).

**9.** A horse running in a higher class event, than which they are eligible, may not automatically decrease in rating for an unplaced performance.

**10.** A horse running in a higher class event than which they are eligible and winning will be rated from the minimum weight, not their pre-race rating.

**11**. An open class horse will be eligible to run in a 0-58 or BM 54 Rating race. (effective 1.11.20)

12. Should a horse win by six lengths or more, it is liable for an additional rating point over and above the penalty scale guide at 13. (below)13. The Handicapper will use as a guide the following penalty scale:

| FIELD SIZE       | 1ST    | 2ND    | 3RD    |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| 6 horses or less | +1.5kg | level  | -0.5kg |
| 7 horses or more | +2.0kg | +0.5kg | level  |

**14.** Any horse racing at the top of a Ratings Band (0-58, 0-62, 0-64, 0-66, 0-70, 0-76) for which it is eligible and runs a place will not be re-rated to push it out of that Band, however, if a horse is running in a higher Band and runs a place it may be re-rated out of a Band depending on performance.

**15.** A maiden horse which wins a maiden race in the NT will be rated as follows: a winner of a maiden race – 56; the winner of a 0-58 or Benchmark 54 or Class 2 - between 56 and 58; any other race at the discretion of the Handicapper but to be no less than 56. Provided that should any horse have a rating of 56 or above immediately prior to its first race win, the rating for winning such race will be at the discretion of the Handicapper.

**16.** All maiden horses shall receive an interim rating by the handicapper to allocate a weight and to establish a ballot order.

**17.** All unraced horses nominated for their first start will receive a rating of 54.

**18**. Apprentices will be permitted to claim in maiden races.

**19.** Winning horses will generally receive a maximum of eight (8) points for winning out of their grade. Mares and 3yos may go up additional points due to sex and age allowances. This will only apply to races with total stakemoney less than \$30,000, and will not apply to horses winning their first race.

#### **NEW SAND / DIRT TRACK RATINGS SCALE**

The following sand/dirt track ratings come into effect on 1st March 2015.

| RATINGS  | - DESCRIPTION FOR RATING                                                                                                           |
|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Firm     | Compact /firm and at optimal efficiency                                                                                            |
| Good     | More loosened surface than fast, some kickback may be<br>evident                                                                   |
| Soft     | Surface looser than good, kickback evident                                                                                         |
| Wet Fast | Rain affected, track has surface water but base is solid<br>and surface is compact (accounting for times similar<br>to fast track) |

### **RATINGS BASED HANDICAPPING**

| IORTH                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | ERN TE | ERRITO | RY TEMI  |      | effective 1 De | cember 2016 | )        |      |        |         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|----------|------|----------------|-------------|----------|------|--------|---------|
| illies and mares allowed 2.0kg from their rating. 2 and 3yos have a further age allowance (see Business Rules).<br>B: All weights relate to a 55.0kg minimum, with the exception of \$30,000 races or above, which will have a 54.0kg minimum. |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| Rating                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Open   | 0-76   | BM76     | 0-70 | 0-66           | 0-64        | 0-62     | 0-58 | BM54   | Class 2 |
| 100                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | open   | 0-70   |          |      |                | 1           |          |      | Dinio4 | 010331  |
| 99                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 98                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 97                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 96                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      | l              |             |          |      |        |         |
| 95                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 95                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 63.0+  |        |          |      | <u> </u>       |             |          |      |        |         |
| 93                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 62.5   |        |          |      |                |             | <u> </u> |      |        |         |
| 93                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 62.5   |        | <u> </u> |      | l              |             |          |      |        |         |
| 92                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 62.0   |        | 64+      |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 90                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 62.0   |        |          |      | <u> </u>       |             |          |      |        |         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |        |        | 63.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 89                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 61.5   |        | 63.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 88                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 61.0   |        | 63.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 87                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 60.5   |        | 63.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 86                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 60.0   |        | 62.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 85                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 59.5   |        | 62.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 84                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 59.0   |        | 62.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 83                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 58.5   |        | 62.0     |      |                |             | L        |      |        |         |
| 82                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 58.0   |        | 61.5     |      | l              |             |          |      |        |         |
| 81                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 57.5   |        | 61.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 80                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 57.0   |        | 61.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 79                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 56.5   |        | 60.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 78                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 56.0   |        | 60.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 77                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 55.5   |        | 59.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 76                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 55.0   | 61.5   | 59.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 75                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 54.5   | 61.0   | 58.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 74                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 54.0   | 60.5   | 58.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 73                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 60.0   | 57.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 72                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 59.5   | 57.0     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 71                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 59.0   | 56.5     |      |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 70                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 58.5   | 56.0     | 61.0 |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 69                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 58.0   | 55.5     | 60.5 |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 68                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 57.5   | 55.0     | 60.0 |                |             |          |      |        |         |
| 67                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 57.0   | 54.5     | 59.5 |                |             |          |      |        | 63+     |
| 66                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 56.5   | 54.0     | 59.0 | 61.0           |             |          |      |        | 62.5    |
| 65                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 56.0   |          | 58.5 | 60.5           |             |          |      |        | 62.0    |
| 64                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 55.5   |          | 58.0 | 60.0           | 60.5        |          |      |        | 61.5    |
| 63                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 55.0   |          | 57.5 | 59.5           | 60.0        |          |      |        | 61.0    |
| 62                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 54.5   |          | 57.0 | 59.0           | 59.5        | 60.5     |      |        | 60.5    |
| 61                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        | 54.0   |          | 56.5 | 58.5           | 59.0        | 60.0     |      |        | 60.0    |
| 60                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          | 56.0 | 58.0           | 58.5        | 59.5     |      | 62.0   | 59.5    |
| 59                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          | 55.5 | 57.5           | 58.0        | 59.0     |      | 61.5   | 59.0    |
| 58                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          | 55.0 | 57.0           | 57.5        | 58.5     | 60.0 | 61.0   | 58.5    |
| 57                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          | 54.5 | 56.5           | 57.0        | 58.0     | 59.5 | 60.5   | 58.0    |
| 56                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          | 54.0 | 56.0           | 56.5        | 57.5     | 59.0 | 60.0   | 57.5    |
| 55                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      | 55.5           | 56.0        | 57.0     | 58.5 | 59.5   | 57.0    |
| 54                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      | 55.0           | 55.5        | 56.5     | 58.0 | 59.0   | 56.5    |
| 53                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      | 54.5           | 55.0        | 56.0     | 57.5 | 58.5   | 56.0    |
| 52                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      | 54.0           | 54.5        | 55.5     | 57.0 | 58.0   | 55.5    |
| 51                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                | 54.0        | 55.0     | 56.5 | 57.5   | 55.0    |
| 50                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             | 54.5     | 56.0 | 57.0   | 54.5    |
| 49                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             | 54.0     | 55.5 | 56.5   | 54.0    |
| 48                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          | 55.0 | 56.0   |         |
| 47                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          | 54.5 | 55.5   |         |
| 46                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          | 54.0 | 55.0   |         |
| 45                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      | 54.5   |         |
| 44                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |        |        |          |      |                |             |          |      | 54.0   |         |

### **3YO BENCHMARKS**

As you are aware, the TRNT Board approved a change to the 3yo class 5 and 6 races, and opens, early in 2021.

These races are now Benchmark affairs which will streamline the handicapping process and give trainers far more certainty on the weights to be carried by 3yos going forward.

#### The templates will be as follows:

| <b>3yo BM64</b> (old 3yo class 5) |           | <b>3yo BM66</b> (old 3yo class 6) |          | <b>3yo BM68</b><br>(old 3yo open hcps) |          |  |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------|----------|--|
| Ratir                             | ng Weight | Rating                            | g Weight | Rating                                 | g Weight |  |
| 72                                | 62.5kg+   | 74                                | 62.5kg+  | 76                                     | 62.5kg+  |  |
| 71                                | 62.0kg    | 73                                | 62.0kg   | 75                                     | 62.0kg   |  |
| 70                                | 62.0kg    | 72                                | 62.0kg   | 74                                     | 62.0kg   |  |
| 69                                | 61.5kg    | 71                                | 61.5kg   | 73                                     | 61.5kg   |  |
| 68                                | 61.0kg    | 70                                | 61.0kg   | 72                                     | 61.0kg   |  |
| 67                                | 60.5kg    | 69                                | 60.5kg   | 71                                     | 60.5kg   |  |
| 66                                | 60.0kg    | 68                                | 60.0kg   | 70                                     | 60.0kg   |  |
| 65                                | 59.5kg    | 67                                | 59.5kg   | 69                                     | 59.5kg   |  |
| 64                                | 59.0kg    | 66                                | 59.0kg   | 68                                     | 59.0kg   |  |
| 63                                | 58.5kg    | 65                                | 58.5kg   | 67                                     | 58.5kg   |  |
| 62                                | 58.0kg    | 64                                | 58.0kg   | 66                                     | 58.0kg   |  |
| 61                                | 57.5kg    | 63                                | 57.5kg   | 65                                     | 57.5kg   |  |
| 60                                | 57.0kg    | 62                                | 57.0kg   | 64                                     | 57.0kg   |  |
| 59                                | 56.5kg    | 61                                | 56.5kg   | 63                                     | 56.5kg   |  |
| 58                                | 56.0kg    | 60                                | 56.0kg   | 62                                     | 56.0kg   |  |
| 57                                | 55.5kg    | 59                                | 55.5kg   | 61                                     | 55.5kg   |  |
| 56                                | 55.0kg    | 58                                | 55.0kg   | 60                                     | 55.0kg   |  |
| 55                                | 54.5kg    | 57                                | 54.5kg   | 59                                     | 54.5kg   |  |
| 54                                | 54.0kg    | 56                                | 54.0kg   | 58                                     | 54.0kg   |  |

**NB:** Should no horse reach the Benchmark, the 59.0kg topweight rule will apply.

The ballot order for the Guineas (x2) and Derby will now be carried out on a **ratings basis rather than by utilising stakemoney levels –** the only time that stakemoney will be taken into account is when two or more horses have the same rating.

Where stakemoney is taken into account, it will be for horses earning first, second, third, fourth and fifth stakemoney only (as per local rules).



### **NT REGULATIONS APPLYING TO THE USE OF GEAR**

All applications for the use of or removal of any gear must be made prior to the closing of acceptances and applications made on the morning of the day of acceptances must also be notified to the TRNT Stewards

**Trainers responsible for condition of gear**: Trainers shall be held responsible for seeing that all racing gear provided by them is approved for use and is in proper condition. **To be fitted before entering mounting yard**: all gear to be used on a horse shall be fitted before it enters the mounting yard.

#### AR 206

1. Except for other gear approved by the Stewards for trackwork, for a race, official trial, jump-out or trackwork all gear to be used on a horse must be approved by the Chairmen of Stewards and listed in the National Equipment Register.

2. Permission must be obtained from the Stewards prior to acceptance time for a race in order for a horse to race in any approved gear (including racing plates) listed in National Equipment Register.

3. If permission is obtained under subrule (2), then, unless approval from or instruction by the Stewards is provided prior to acceptance time for a subsequent race, that gear is to be used without variation in subsequent races in which the horse participates.

Note: Under AR 20(g), Stewards may order the removal of any shoes, racing plates, equipment or gear from a horse which are not approved or are in their opinion unstable, unsafe or ineffective.

For more information regarding gear regulations please see the National Equipment Register available on the Racing Australia website.



### **RACECOURSE AND TRAINING TRACK REGULATIONS**

### **Darwin Turf Club**

### Regulations governing the use of the Club's racecourse and training track

The Darwin Turf Club has issued a revised set of Track Regulations that are effective from June 2022 A copy of the regulations can be downloaded via the TRNT's website or alternatively a copy can be provided by contacting the Darwin Turf Club office or Thoroughbred Racing Northern Territory Stewards.

All trainers, jockeys and track riders must read a copy of the Track Regulations and prior to using the facilities for the first time, complete an induction with a Darwin Turf Club nominated official. Upon completion of this induction the individual must sign an acknowledgment declaration which will be kept on file with the Darwin Turf Club. Trainers are responsible for ensuring their staff (stable employees) are aware of and comply with these regulations. These new procedures are in line with OHS requirements as the Darwin Turf Club is committed to providing a safe working environment for Staff and Industry participants.

### **Alice Springs Turf Club**

### Regulations governing the use of the Club's racecourse and training track

The Alice Springs Turf Club has issued a revised set of Track Regulations that are effective from July 2017. A copy of the regulations can be downloaded via the Alice Springs Turf Club's website or alternatively a copy can be provided by contacting the Alice Springs Turf Club office or Thoroughbred Racing Northern Territory Stewards.

All trainers, jockeys and track riders must read a copy of the Track Regulations and prior to using the facilities for the first time, complete an induction with an Alice Springs Turf Club nominated official. Upon completion of this induction the individual must sign an acknowledgment declaration which will be kept on file with the Alice Springs Turf Club. Trainers are responsible for ensuring their staff (stable employees) are aware of and comply with these regulations. These new procedures are in line with OHS requirements as the Alice Springs Turf Club is committed to providing a safe working environment for Staff and Industry participants.

### **Northern Territory Barrier Trials**

Barrier Trials to be conducted:

**Darwin** – Tuesday morning as requested.

**Alice Springs** – On race day following the completion of the final event or on Tuesday morning (or another time) by arrangement with the stewards.

The Trial fee is \$55.00 (inclusive of GST). Riders receive \$25 per ride (plus GST if applicable and super) while the nomination fee for entering for the barrier trials is \$30.

#### Entries

#### Darwin - 12:00pm Friday for trials on Tuesday. Alice Springs – 9:30am Thursday for race day, 11:00am Monday for Tuesday.

Trials will be conducted over:

Darwin – 900m

Alice Springs – 800m or such other distance if required. Minimum of four (4) runners are required for a trial to proceed exce.pt in special circumstances as approved by the Stewards. Horses trialing for the purpose of gaining a barrier certificate or to be reinstated following an embargo must:

- a) Load in a reasonable time
- b) Must not be reversed into the barrier
- c) Must not be placed into the barrier with front gate open
- d) Must not be fractious or unruly whilst in the barriers
- e) Must jump away in a reasonable manner
- f) Perform tractably after jumping away

g) Horses trialing for the purpose of obtaining an initial barrier certificate cannot be loaded riderless

The use of approved barrier aids may be used if the starter deems necessary to help load a horse in a timely and safe manner. If an approved barrier aid is used to assist a horse to load, the trainer must then without delay advise the Stewards and have that gear added for race day.

For barrier trials conducted outside race day, trainers <u>must</u> provide appropriate licensed staff at the barriers to load their horses into the gates. These staff must wear appropriate footwear and an approved helmet and vest.

### Northern Territory Starters Subsidy

A subsidy is paid to all horses which race and do not earn prize money.

The payment will be paid to the trainer of each horse. However the managing owner can elect to have the subsidy paid to the managing owner.

To do so the managing owner must complete the appropriate notification form and lodge it with the TRNT.

The unplaced subsidy is **\$700 for all races - this increased amount came into effect from 1 September 2022.** 

### **Facilities Fee**

As of the 1st May 2016 the facilities fee for horses running in the Top End region is \$286.00 inc GST As of 1st April 2016 the facilities fee for horses running in the Central region is \$165.00 inc GST.

### NT SCALE OF FEES (inc GST)

| Prize money       | Nomination Fee | Acceptance Fee |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| \$8 000—\$12 999  | \$55.00        | Nil            |
| \$13 000—\$19 999 | \$82.50        | Nil            |
| \$20 000—\$24 999 | \$110.00       | \$55.00        |
| \$25 000—\$39 999 | \$110.00       | \$110.00       |
| \$40 000—\$74 999 | \$165.00       | \$165.00       |
| \$75 000 +        | \$220.00       | \$220.00       |

## Ladbrokes

### LADBROKES THROWS FURTHER WEIGHT BEHIND TERRITORY RACING WITH A BRACE OF INITIATIVES

Territory Thoroughbred Racing's Ladbrokes Triple Crown will undertake a significant change in 2023.

The Ladbrokes Triple Crown has to date been the domain of three-year-olds attempting to win the three major Carnival features – Darwin Guineas, Ladbrokes NT Derby and Great Northern Darwin Cup – in the same year.

Only two horses have ever achieved the treble, Brinney in 1989 and Ventilago in 1996.

But for the first time in over 40 years, the Triple Crown will open up to all-aged gallopers and be renamed the Ladbrokes Territory Treble, with the \$100,000 bonus on offer to the connections of the horse which can win the Ladbrokes Alice Springs Cup (Sunday 30 April), Chief Minister's Cup (Saturday 15 July) and the Great Northern Darwin Cup on Monday 7 August.

"History has proven it is extremely difficult to have a three-year-old take on the older horses in the Darwin Cup and to extend over the 2050m distance," Ladbrokes Executive Director of Stakeholder Engagement Karl deKroo said.

"We viewed this change as a great opportunity to revitalise the concept and increase the probability for the bonus to go off. It is also a chance for Ladbrokes to underline our commitment to the sustainability and growth of racing in the Territory.

"This new concept still provides a significant challenge to win all three Cups, but it feels far more achievable and has the added benefit of engaging both the Red Centre and Top End. It is to be hoped that Darwin Cup-bound horses will now also place the Ladbrokes Alice Springs Cup on the agenda – it has the potential to provide a very exciting climax to the Darwin Cup Carnival."

Last year's Chief Minister's Cup winner Playoffs went on to win the Darwin Cup but did not run in Alice Springs, while Pretty Blonde back in 2014 won both Alice and Darwin Cups, but ran down the track in the Chief Minister's.

Darwin Turf Club CEO Grant Dewsbury added that the likelihood of the Treble, under the previous criteria, was an "outside chance", but now becomes a very real possibility. "This is a great new concept and will only add to an already exciting Darwin Cup Carnival and one which could see only the third horse in history taking out the \$100,000 bonus," Dewsbury said.

Alice Springs Turf Club Chair Andrew Maloney welcomed the involvement of the ASTC in the revised Territory Treble concept.

"It builds upon an already strong relationship between the two major NT Clubs and continues the association with Ladbrokes as our Major Sponsor and supporter," Maloney said.

Ladbrokes also announced it has agreed terms on a two-year deal to become the official wagering partner and naming rights sponsor of the Territory's three country venues, Adelaide River, Katherine and Tennant Creek. Ladbrokes signage will adorn the three country tracks and the deal will allow the country club Cups to each be worth \$30,000 in 2023.

Thoroughbred Racing NT Chief Executive Andrew O'Toole said: "Ladbrokes have been fantastic to work with on this project, and we are delighted that they have agreed to support our country venues, which are so important to the lifeblood of Territory racing.

"We look forward to the roll-out in advance of the first country club meeting this year, at Tennant Creek, in mid-May."

It continues Ladbrokes' recent increased investment in the Territory, which has included a commitment to offer 20 new job placements in Alice Springs, complementing its established workforce in Darwin.

"Ladbrokes is proudly licensed in the NT and we definitely view it as part of our charter to put back into NT communities," deKroo said.

"We were in Alice Springs last week where we have advertised 20 remote positions in our customer support team, and we see our investment into Adelaide River, Katherine and Tennant Creek in a similar light. These Cup days are important community events that bring people together and we want to help ensure their ongoing viability."

### **NORTHERN TERRITORY RACING PROGRAM 2023**

**Alice Springs** SUNDAY **18TH JUNE 2023** 

Open Hcp 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1100m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 **RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES HEAT 3** 

Rating 64 & Below 1400m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1600m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden

1400m

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

9:30

9:30

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 12th June 1:00 Tues 13th June Wed 14th June 12:00 Wed 14th June



**Open Hcp** 1000m of \$24.500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 76** 1300m of \$22.500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1600m of \$20.500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Winning 3yo exempt from ballot for Guineas.

Rating 58 & Below 1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below 1600m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50 Winning 3yo exempt from ballot for Guineas.

Class 2 1200m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

> **3yo Benchmark 66** 1300m

Of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Winner exempt from ballot for Guineas This is a TROBIS bonus race

9:30

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 19th June Tues 20th June Wed 21st June 12:00 Wed 21st June



SATURDAY **1ST JULY 2023 ROANT DAY** 

**ROANT Gold Cup Open Hcp** 1300m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for Chief Minister's Cup.

Rating 76 & Below 1000m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1600m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 66 & Below 1200m of \$21,000 1st \$13,650, 2nd \$4200, 3rd \$3150 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 62 & Below 1100m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1200m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

This is a TROBIS bonus race

#### Maiden 1300m

Of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

9:30

1:00

9:30

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 26th June Tues 27th June Wed 28th June Wed 28th June 12:00

### **DARWIN CUP CARNIVAL CONDITIONS 2023**

### LADBROKES **TERRITORY TREBLE** \$100,000 BONUS

SECOND LEG: FIRST LEG SUN 30 APRIL SAT 15 JULY

THIRD I EG. MON 7 AUG

| LADBROKES   | CHIEF      | GREAT    |
|-------------|------------|----------|
| ALICE       | MINISTER'S | NORTHERN |
| SPRINGS CUP | CUP        | DARWIN   |
| 2000M       | 1600M      | CUP      |
|             |            | 2050M    |

### CONDITIONS

1. Unless otherwise determined in these conditions, or unless the context otherwise requires, all terms used in the conditions shall be interpreted and defined in accordance with the Rules of Racing.

2. If at the time set down for scratchings (8.00am race day) any race which is a leg of the has less than eight (8) horses remaining in the field then the winner shall not be eligible to win the honus

3. A dead heat for first shall be considered a win for the purpose of the bonus.

4. The bonus payment shall be deemed to be a prize for the purpose of the Rules of Racing and the normal rules as to the distribution of prizes between Nominator, Trainer and Jockey will apply.

5. In the event of there being a change of Nominator during the period in which the above mentioned races are run, the Nominator at the time nominations close for each leg shall be entitled to payment of the bonus on a pro-rata basis, being one-third of the total nominators percentage of the bonus if the horse is successful in all three races.

6. In the event of there being a change of trainer during the period in which the above mentioned races are run, the trainers percentage of the bonus payment shall be shared pro-rata and one-third of the total trainers percentage shall be paid to the trainer of the successful horse for each leg.

7. In the event of a successful horse being ridden in the Bonus Races by more than one rider, the total percentage payable to the winning rider will be shared pro-rata, and onethird of the total jockey's percentage shall be paid for each winning ride.

### **BALLOTING CONDITIONS** PALMERSTON SPRINT AND CARLTON MID DARWIN CUP

The field for each race will appear on the official weight sheet with a rating allotted at the discretion of the handicapper. After the declaration of weights, the rating may be adjusted for a horse which has won a race(s) between the declaration of weights and the time for final acceptances. In the event that a ballot is required to eliminate acceptors in order to achieve the field limit prescribed (12 runners, with provision for up to three emergency runners), horses shall be balloted in the following order:

· Horses with the lowest rating shall be eliminated first.

· Where two or more horses have the same rating, the older horse shall be eliminated before the younger horse.

 $\cdot$  Where two or more horses have the same rating and are of the same age, the horse which has earned the least amount of prizemoney on the flat shall be eliminated first.

· Where two or more horses have the same rating, are of the same age, and have earned the same amount of prizemoney on the flat, a ballot shall be conducted by lot.

· Any breeders', vendors' or other bonuses and unplaced runner subsidies will not be taken into account when applying balloting conditions.

· For the purposes of the above, prizemoney shall not include prizemoney earned in any race in which a horse has not been placed first, second, third, fourth or fifth.

### WINNERS EXEMPT FROM **BALLOT**

The winner of the 3 Year Old BM66 1300m, and the winners of the 0-64 1600m and 0-58 1600m run on Saturday 24 June, if 3yo's, will be exempt from the ballot for the Darwin Guineas (1600m) run on Saturday 8 July.

The winner of the ROANT Cup (1300m) run on Saturday 1 July is exempt from the ballot for the Chief Minister's Cup (1600m) run on Saturday 15 July.

The winner of the Bridge Toyota Cup (1600m) run on Wednesday 19 July is exempt from the ballot for the TAB Metric Mile (1600m) run on Saturday 29 July.

The winners of the WFA Plate (1200m) run on Saturday 22 July and the Flying Handicap (1100m) run on Saturday 29 July are exempt from the ballot for the Palmerston Sprint (1200m) run on Saturday 5 August.

The winners of the Ladbrokes NT Derby (2050m) and the Buntine Handicap (2050m) run on Saturday 22 July and the TAB Metric Mile (1600m) run on Saturday 29 July are exempt from the ballot for the Great Northern Darwin Cup (2050m) run on Monday 7 August.

#### NT 40: All Set Weight races including Weightfor-age races:

The field for all Set Weight races will appear on the official weight sheet with a rating allotted at the discretion of the Handicapper. After the declaration of weights, the rating may be adjusted for a horse which has won a race(s) between the declaration of weights and the time for final acceptances. In the event a ballot is required to eliminate acceptors in order to achieve the field limit prescribed, horses shall be balloted in the following order:

- Horse with the lowest rating shall be eliminated first.
- Where two or more horses have the same rating, the older horses shall be eliminated before the younger horse.
- Where two or more horses have the same rating and are of the same age, the horse which has earned the least amount of prizemoney on the flat shall be eliminated first.
- Where two or more horses have the same rating, are of the same age, and have earned the same amount of prizemoney on the flat, a ballot shall be conducted by lot.
- For the purpose of this rule, prizemoney shall not include prizemoney earned in any race in which a horse has not been placed first, second, third, fourth or fifth.

### BALLOTING

Balloting will be in accordance with the NT Local Rules.

### HANDICAP RACES OF MORE THAN \$70,000

NT 107: For all Handicap races where the prize money exceeds \$70,000, unless otherwise provided for in the conditions of the race, at the time set down for the declaration of weights, the lowest allotted weight shall not be greater than 54kg.

### **NON REFUNDABLE NOMINATIONS**

Nomination fees for the following races will not be refunded - Darwin Cup, Palmerston Sprint, Ladbrokes NT Derby and Darwin Guineas.

### **2023 DARWIN TRAINER'S CUP CARNIVAL DIARY**

Monday 26th June ENTRIES 9:30am all races ROANT Day 1st July

Tuesday 27th June WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races ROANT Day 1st July

Wednesday 28th June ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races ROANT Day 1st July RIDERS 12:00pm all races ROANT Day 1st July

### Saturday 1st July ROANT Day

Monday 3rd July ENTRIES 9:30am all races Day 1 (8 July)

<u>Tuesday 4th July</u>

WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 1 (8 July)

Wednesday 5th July ACCEPTANCES 09:30am all races Day 1 (8 July) RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 1 (8 July)

## Day 1 Saturday 8th July Guineas Day

Monday 10th July ENTRIES 9:30am all races Day 2 (15 July) Tuesday 11th July

WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 2 (15 July) Wednesday 12th July

ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 2 (15 July) RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 2 (15 July)



<u>Thursday 13th July</u> **ENTRIES** 9:30am all races Day 3 (19 July) <u>Friday 14th July</u>

WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 3 (19 July) Monday 17th July ENTRIES 9:30am all races Day 4 (22 July) ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 3 (19 July) RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 3 (19 July)

<u>Tuesday 18th July</u> WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 4 (22 July)

<u>Wednesday 19th July</u> **ACCEPTANCES** 9:30am all races Day 4 (22 July)

RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 4 (22 July)



### Day 3 Wednesday 19th July Ladies Day

### Day 4 Saturday 22nd July LADBROKES Derby Day

Monday 24th July ENTRIES 9:30am all races Day 5 (29 July) 9:30am **Palmerston Sprint**, Day 7 (5 August) 9:30am **Darwin Cup**, Day 8 (7 August)

<u>Tuesday 25th July</u> WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 5 (29 July)

Wednesday 26th July ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 5 (29 July) RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 5 (29 July)

<u>Thursday 27th July</u> ENTRIES 9:30am all races Day 6 (2 August)

<u>Friday 28th July</u> WEIGHTS 1:00pm all races Day 6 (2 August)



Monday 31st July ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 6 (2 August) RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 6 (2 August) ENTRIES 9:30am minor races Day 7 (5 August) 9:30am minor races Day 8 (7 August) WEIGHTS

1:00pm Palmerston Sprint, Day 7 (5 August) 1:00pm Darwin Cup, Day 8 (7 August)

<u>Tuesday 1st August</u> WEIGHTS 1:00pm minor races Day 7 (5 August)

4:00pm minor races Day 8 (7 August)

Wednesday 2nd August ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 7 (5 August)

### Day 6 Wednesday 2nd August Darwin Corporate Park Cup

<u>Thursday 3rd August</u> ACCEPTANCES 9:30am all races Day 8 (7 August)

RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 7 (5 August) Friday 4th August

RIDERS 12:00pm all races Day 8 (7 August)

**BARRIER DRAW** Great Northern Darwin Cup - time and venue to be confirmed.

Day 7 Saturday 5th August bet 365 Palmerston Sprint Day



Day 8 Monday 7th August Great Northern Darwin Cup Day

### **NORTHERN TERRITORY RACING PROGRAM 2023**

Alice Springs SUNDAY 2ND JULY 2023

Benchmark 76 1100m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 76** 1600m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1100m of \$20,000 1st \$13,000, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$3000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES HEAT 4

Rating 58 & Below 1400m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Class 2 1200m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

| Weights1:00Tues 27th JAcceptances9:30Wed 28th | June |
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| Riders 12:00 Wed 28th                         | June |

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**3yo Guineas** Open Set Weights 1600m of \$75,000 1st \$48,000, 2nd \$11250, 3rd \$7500, 4th 5250, 5th 3000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$220 Acc \$220 3yo Colts and Geldings 58kg; 3yo Fillies 56kg. *Apprentices cannot claim* This is a TROBIS bonus race **Open Hcp** 1100m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 *Apprentices cannot claim* 

Rating 76 & Below 1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Average Benchmark 1600m of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110

Rating 70 & Below 1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 62 & Below- Fillies & Mares

1200m Of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Winning filly or mare exempt from ballot for Rosebowl 1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 66 & Below

Rating 58 & Below 1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**3yo Rating 64 & Below** 1600m



Of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 This is a TROBIS bonus race

| Nominations | 9:30  | Mon 3rd July  |
|-------------|-------|---------------|
| Weights     | 1:00  | Tues 4th July |
| Acceptances | 9:30  | Wed 5th July  |
| Riders      | 12:00 | Wed 5th July  |


15TH JULY 2023 DAY 2

Chief Minister's Cup Weight-for-Age 1600m of \$60,000 1st \$39,600, 2nd \$10200, 3rd \$4800, 4th \$3600, 5th \$1800, unplaced \$700 Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim

Rating 76 & Below 1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 66 & Below 1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 62 & Below 1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1000m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Maiden 1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**3yo Benchmark 66** 1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations9:30Mon 10th JulyWeights1:00Tues 11th JulyAcceptances9:30Wed 12th JulyRiders12:00Wed 12th July

Alice Springs

Average Benchmark 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1600m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Benchmark 54 1100m of \$20,000 1st \$13,000, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$3000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES HEAT 5

Maiden 1100m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders 
 9:30
 Mon 10th July

 1:00
 Tues 11th July

 9:30
 Wed 12th July

 12:00
 Wed 12th July



Bridge Toyota Cup Rating 76 & Below 1600m of \$50,000 1st \$32,000, 2nd \$7500, 3rd \$5000, 4th \$3500, 5th \$2000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim

Average Benchmark

1100m of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110

#### Rosebowl Rating 70 & Below Fillies & Mares

1300m



of \$35,000 1st \$23,450, 2nd \$5600, 3rd \$3500, 4th \$2450, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 *Apprentices cannot claim Winner of the Fillies and Mares 0-62 on July 8 exempt from ballot.* This is a TROBIS bonus race

Rating 66 & Below 1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 62 & Below 1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Class 2

1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Nominations9:30Thur13th JulyWeights1:00Fri14th JulyAcceptances9:30Mon17th JulyRiders12:00Mon17th July

Darwin 🗡 SATURDAY 22ND JULY 2023 DAY 4

> **NT Derby 3yo- Set Weights** 2050m

of \$135,000 1st \$89,100, 2nd \$21600, 3rd \$9450, 4th \$7425, 5th \$4725, 6th \$2700, unplaced \$700. Nom \$220 Acc \$220. Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for the Darwin Cup This is a TROBIS Bonus Race

#### Buntine

**Open Hcp** 2050m of \$50,000 1st \$32,000, 2nd \$7500, 3rd \$5000, 4th \$3500, 5th \$2000, unplaced \$700, Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for the Darwin Cup

Weight For Age 1200m of \$35,000 1st \$23,450, 2nd \$5600, 3rd \$3500, 4th \$2450, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for the Palmerston Sprint

Rating 70 & Below 1100m of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110.

Rating 66 & Below 1600m of \$25.000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110.

#### Rating 62 & Below

1300m of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110.

#### Rating 58 & Below

1100m

of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110.

9:30 Nominations Weights 1:00 Acceptances 9:30 Riders 12:00

Mon 17th July Tues 18th July Wed 19th July Wed 19th July

Darwin 🕆 SATURDAY 29TH JULY 2023 DAY 5

**Metric Mile Open Hcp** 1600m of \$50,000 1st \$32,000, 2nd \$7500, 3rd \$5000, 4th \$3500, 5th \$2000, unplaced \$700, Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for the Darwin Cup

**Flying Sprint** 1100m of \$32,000 1st \$21,440, 2nd \$5120, 3rd \$3200, 4th \$2240, 5th \$960, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim Winner exempt from ballot for the Palmerston Sprint

> Rating 70 & Below 1600m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$55.

Rating 66 & Below 1000m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$55.

Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$55.

Maiden 1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**3yo Benchmark 68** 1200m Of \$40.000 1st \$25,600, 2nd \$6000, 3rd \$4000, 4th \$2800, \$1600, unplaced \$700 Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim This is a TROBIS bonus race

9:30

1:00

9:30

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 24th July Tues 25th July Wed 26th July 12:00 Wed 26th July **Alice Springs** SUNDAY **30TH JULY 2023** 



Rating 70 & Below 1400m of \$21.500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below D 1200m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 **RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES HEAT 6** 

Rating 58 & Below 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

**Benchmark 54** 1200m Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50



Of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50 This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Class 2

1400m

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

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Jaytex Construction Cup Rating 76 & Below 1300m of \$40,000 1st \$25,600, 2nd \$6000, 3rd \$4000, 4th \$2800, 5th \$1600, unplaced \$700 Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim

#### Rating 66 & Below

1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 62 & Below 1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 62 & Below

1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Class 2

1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55





1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

| Nominations | 9:30  | Thur 27th July |
|-------------|-------|----------------|
| Weights     | 1:00  | Fri 28th July  |
| Acceptances | 9:30  | Mon 31st July  |
| Riders      | 12:00 | Mon 31st July  |



#### bet365 Palmerston Sprint

1200m of \$135,000 1st \$89,100, 2nd \$21,600, 3rd \$94,50, 4th \$7425 5th \$4725, 6th \$2700, unplaced \$700 Nom \$220 Acc \$220 *Apprentices cannot claim* Winner of the WFA 1200m on 22nd July and the Flying Sprint 1100m on 29th July are exempt from the ballot.

Rating 66 & Below 1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Rating 66 & Below 1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 62 & Below 1000m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Rating 58 & Below 1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Maiden

Class 2 3yo & 4yo SW & Pen



1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55 Set weights: 4yo and up geldings and horses, 59kg; 4yo and up mares 57kg; 3yo and colts and geldings, 58.5kg; 3yo fillies 56.5kg Penalties for 3yos: 1st win 2kg, all other wins 1 kg **This is a TROBIS bonus race** 

| Nominations | 9:30  | Palmerston Sprint |
|-------------|-------|-------------------|
|             |       | All other races   |
| Weights     | 1:00  | Palmerston Sprint |
|             |       | All other races   |
| Acceptances | 9:30  |                   |
| Riders      | 12:00 |                   |

Mon 24th July Mon 31st July Mon 31st July Tues 1st August Wed 2nd August Thurs 3rd August

Darwin

### MONDAY 7th AUGUST 2023- DAY 8 GREAT NORTHERN DARWIN CUP DAY

Great Northern Darwin Cup 2050m of \$200,000 1st \$132,000, 2nd \$32000, 3rd \$14000, 4th \$11000, 5th7000, 6th \$4000 unplaced \$700 Nom \$220 Acc \$220 Apprentices cannot claim Winners of the NT Derby and Buntine Hcp on the 22nd July and the Metric Mile 29th July are exempt from the ballot.

#### Montgomerie Lightning Plate

1000m of \$35,000 1st \$23,450, 2nd \$5600, 3rd \$3500, 4th \$2450, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim Average Benchmark 1600m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000,

4th \$2100, unplaced \$700

Nom \$110 Acc \$110

Apprentices cannot claim

#### Average Benchmark

2050m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 *Apprentices cannot claim* 

#### **Average Benchmark**

1300m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim Horses sold by the DTC at any of the club's tried horse sales will be exempt from the ballot. Bonuses to be applied.

#### Rating 70 & Below 1200m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim

#### Rating 66 & Below

1100m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim

#### Rating 62 & Below

1300m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 *Apprentices cannot claim*  Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Rating 58 & Below 1600m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders 9:30 Darwin Cup All other races 1:00 Darwin Cup All other races 9:30 12:00

#### **Alice Springs** SATURDAY **12TH AUGUST 2023**

**Open Handicap** 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Benchmark 76 1600m of \$22.500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1400m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55



#### Benchmark 54

1200m of \$20,000 1st \$13,000, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$3000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES HEAT 7** 



of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 7th August Tues 8th August Wed 9th August 12:00 Wed 9th August

Katherine SATURDAY Ratherine **19TH AUGUST 2023 KATHERINE CUP DAY** 

Katherine Cup **Average Benchmark** 1700m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim

Rating 70 & Below 1100m of \$21.500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1700m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

**Benchmark 54** 1300m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50



1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 14th August Tues 15th August Wed 16th August 12:00 Wed 16th August

**Alice Springs** FRIDAY **25TH AUGUST 2023** TRUCKIES DAY



Average Benchmark 1400m of \$25,000

1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110

Benchmark 66 1200m of \$40.000 1st \$25,600, 2nd \$6000, 3rd \$4000, 4th \$2800, 5th \$1600 unplaced \$700 Nom \$165 Acc \$165 Apprentices cannot claim

**RED CENTRE WINTER SERIES FINAL** 

#### Rating 64 & Below

1200m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1100m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55



1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Class 2

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 21st August Tues 22nd August Wed 23rd August 12:00 Wed 23rd August

#### Darwin 🕆 SATURDAY **2ND SEPTEMBER 2023**

**Benchmark 76** 1000m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below

1100m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55



1300m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

This is a TROBIS bonus race

**Benchmark 54** 1200m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Class 2

1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 28th August 9:30 Tues 29th August 1:00 Wed 30th August 9:30 Wed 30th August 12:00

Darwin SATURDAY **9TH SEPTEMBER 2023** 

**Open Handicap** 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1100m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1100m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below

1600m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50



of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations 9:30 Weights 1:00 Acceptances 9:30 Riders

Mon 4th September Tues 5th September Wed 6th September Wed 6th September



SUNDAY **10TH SEPTEMBER 2023** 

**Alice Springs** 

**Benchmark 76** 1200m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1100m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1600m of \$20.500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden

1400m

of \$19.500

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Acceptances

Mon 4th September 1:00 Tues 5th September 9:30 Wed 6th September 12:00 Wed 6th September

**Alice Springs** 

#### Darwin 🕆 SATURDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2023

**Benchmark 76** 1200m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1100m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1300m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

> Class 2 1200m of \$19.500



1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 18th September Tues 19th September Wed 20th September 12:00 Wed 20th September

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders



Mon 18th September Tues 19th September Wed 20th September Wed 20th September



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Mon 25th September Tues 26th September Wed 27th September Wed 27th September

**Open Handicap** 1400m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

SUNDAY

**24TH SEPTEMBER 2023** 

#### Rating 70 & Below

1000m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1400m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### **Rating 58 & Below**

1200m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### 3YO Class 2 & Maiden

SW & Pen 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12.675. 2nd \$3900. 3rd \$2925. unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50 Set Weights: 4yo and up geldings and horses, 59kg; 4yo and up mares, 57kg; 3yo colts and geldings, 56.5kg; 3yo fillies, 54.5kg. Penalties for 3yos: 1st win 2kg, all other wins 1kg.

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race



**1ST OCTOBER 2023 Benchmark 76** 

SUNDAY

**Alice Springs** 

1100m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1200m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1200m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below 1600m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden 1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700

Nom \$82.50

This is a TROBIS bonus race



**Average Benchmark** 1100m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1300m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1300m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50



1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations 9:30 Weights 1:00 Acceptances 9:30 Riders 12:00

Mon 2nd October Tues 3rd October Wed 4th October Wed 4th October

**Alice Springs** SATURDAY **14TH OCTOBER 2023** 

**Average Benchmark** 1600m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1100m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1100m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Rating 58 & Below 1200m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

3YO & 4YO Class 2 1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 9th October Tues 10th October Wed 11th October Wed 11th October



Rating 70 & Below 1200m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1300m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1600m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

**Benchmark 54** 1100m of \$19.500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Class 2 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

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**Alice Springs** SUNDAY **22ND OCTOBER 2023** 

**Open Handicap** 1100m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1200m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1400m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden 1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 16th October Tues 17th October Wed 18th October Wed 18th October 12:00

Darwin SATURDAY **28TH OCTOBER 2023** 

**Benchmark 76** 1000m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 70 & Below 1600m of \$21.500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 64 & Below

1000m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 58 & Below

1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50



1300m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Maiden

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 23rd October Tues 24th October Wed 25th October Wed 25th October

**Alice Springs** SATURDAY **4TH NOVEMBER 2023** DERBY DAY

**Benchmark 76** 1600m of \$25,000 1st \$16,750, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$2500, 4th \$1750, unplaced \$700. Nom \$110 Acc \$110

#### Rating 64 & Below

1000m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1400m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700

Nom \$110 Acc \$55

**Benchmark 54** 1200m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Class 2

1100m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

> 3YO & 4YO Rating 0-66 & Below 1200m



of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

9:30 1:00 9:30 12:00 Mon 30th October Tues 31st October Wed 1st November Wed 1st November

#### Darwin 🔪

TUESDAY **7TH NOVEMBER 2023** MELBOURNE CUP DAY

**Open Handicap** 1300m of \$30,000 1st \$20,100, 2nd \$4800, 3rd \$3000, 4th \$2100, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$110 Apprentices cannot claim

#### Rating 70 & Below

1100m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below

1600m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 58 & Below



1300m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Class 2 1100m of \$22.000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Maiden 1200m of \$22,000 1st \$14,300, 2nd \$4400, 3rd \$3300, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Wed 1st November Thurs 2nd November Fri 3rd November Fri 3rd November 12:00

**Alice Springs** SATURDAY **11TH NOVEMBER 2023** 

**Open Handicap** 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 70 & Below

1100m of \$21,500 1st \$13,975,2nd \$4300, 3rd \$3225, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 64 & Below

1400m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

### Rating 58 & Below

1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

> Maiden 1200m of \$19,500



#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

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Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

Mon 6th November Tues 7th November Wed 8th November Wed 8th November



Rating 76 & Below 1100m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 64 & Below

1300m of \$20.500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 58 & Below 1000m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Wet Season Benchmark 54 1200m of \$20,000 1st \$13,000, 2nd \$4000, 3rd \$3000, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Lightning Wet Season Series-Heat 1

| Maiden & 3YO Class 2 |
|----------------------|
| 1100m                |
| of \$19,500          |



1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

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SATURDAY **25TH NOVEMBER 2023** 

**Alice Springs** 

#### **Average Benchmark** 1400m

of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Benchmark 76

1000m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

Rating 64 & Below 1600m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55



1100m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

**Benchmark 54** 

This is a TROBIS bonus race

Class 2 1200m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

9:30 Mon 20th November 1:00 Tues 21st November Wed 22nd November 9:30 12:00 Wed 22nd November



#### **Average Benchmark** 1200m of \$24,500 1st \$15,925, 2nd \$4900, 3rd \$3675, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Benchmark 76

1600m of \$22,500 1st \$14,625, 2nd \$4500, 3rd \$3375, unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55

#### Rating 64 & Below

1200m of \$20,500 1st \$13,325, 2nd \$4100, 3rd \$3075 unplaced \$700 Nom \$110 Acc \$55



Lightning Wet Season Series-Heat 2



Class 2 1200m of \$19,500 1st \$12,675, 2nd \$3900, 3rd \$2925, unplaced \$700 Nom \$82.50

#### This is a TROBIS bonus race

Nominations Weights Acceptances Riders

9:30 Mon 27th November 1:00 Tues 28th November 9:30

Wed 29th November 12:00 Wed 29th November

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